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GENERALISSIMO CONTRIBUTES $30,000

WAR SERVICES OF CHINESE Y.M.C.A.

SCOPE OF WORK TO BE ENLARGED

Hankow, May 22.

Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek has contributed $30,000 to the National Committee of Y.M.C.A.s in China for the maintenance and expansion of the various wartime services which the "Y's" have been rendering since last summer.

The donation is an expression of the Generalissimo's deep appreciation of the "Y" work among Chinese soldiers at the front, in the training camps and in the hospitals, and also of the relief projects among war-stricken refugees and students throughout the country.

With $150,000, two-thirds of which was raised in China, the National Committee began last September a special nine-month programme to guide its wartime activities. A second programme, just mapped out, calls for $200,000 to enlarge the scope of "Y" work in China. The Chinese Leader's gift constitutes over one-seventh of the necessary amount.

The Y.M.C.A. workers have been running, immediately behind the fronts, a chain of club houses for the rank and file of the Chinese fighting forces.

A new scheme to establish Y.M.C.A. huts in all large training centres will soon be inaugurated.—(Central News).

CZECH DEVELOPMENTS CAUSE ANXIOUS WEEK-END

Sunday Activity At Whitehall

PREMIER AND MINISTERS CONFER

London, May 22.

There was unaccustomed Sunday activity at Whitehall.

The Prime Minister, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, interrupted his week-end holiday and accompanied by his secretaries returned to No. 10 Downing Street.

At 12.15 p.m. the Foreign Secretary, Lord Halifax, attended the Foreign Office, and the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Sir John Simon, arrived later.

The German Ambassador, Herr Von Dircksen, arrived soon after noon and saw Lord Halifax, and remained with him for an hour.

Meanwhile, Sir John Simon joined the Premier at No 10 Downing Street.—(Reuter).

"SOMEWHAT LESS CLOUDY"

Paris, May 22.

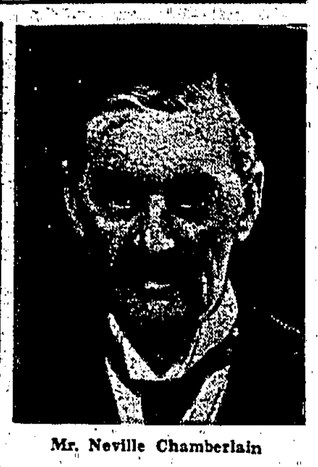
Well-informed and political circles regard the European atmosphere this morning as somewhat less cloudy.

Their attitude is based on the latest pieces of information and the absence of further irritating incidents, in addition to the effect which press and political circles believe was caused in Berlin by the British demarche.—(Reuter).

UPON THEIR SHOULDERS RESTS EUROPE'S PEACE

Herr Hitler

Dr. Hodza



Mr. Neville Chamberlain

France Denies Statement That War Would Be Automatic

Paris, May 22.

An authoritative denial is given to a report widely published abroad attributing to a spokesman of the French Foreign Office a statement that if Germany crossed the Czech frontier, war would start automatically and that France would furnish the utmost help to Czechoslovakia if she were the victim of aggression.

It is emphasised that no such statement was made, and that such a statement in the present grave situation would be deprecated, though it is true that the French Foreign Minister yesterday reiterated to the British and Soviet Ambassadors that France will completely fulfil her obligations to Czechoslovakia in a case of necessity.

But the French obligations would depend on the Locarno Treaty in which there is no question of automatic action. This does not weaken the fact that France would act loyally if the circumstances warranted.—(Reuter).

GERMANY NOT PREPARED TO COMPROMISE

Population Convinced Of Hitler's Omnipotence

Berlin, May 22.

AN ANXIOUS BUT NOT HOPELESS SITUATION HAS ARISEN as the result of the Czechoslovakian developments. The Czechoslovakian attitude, in the face of the Sudeten German demands will, in the opinion of good judges, result in German intervention unless the attitude is modified at the last moment. But it is considered possible that the Czechoslovakian attitude was adopted as a prelude to the talk which it is still hoped will take place between Dr. Milan Hodza, Prime Minister of Czechoslovakia, and Herr Konrad Henlein, leader of the Sudeten German Party.

THAT THE REICH IS DETERMINED TO GO TO CONSIDERABLE LENGTHS to help her Sudeten kin is not doubted, but whether it will risk war with a Power, stronger than Czechoslovakia, is problematical. The intention of German diplomacy seems to be to impress foreigners with the view that the Reich is ready for anything.

It is understood that the British Ambassador, Sir Nevile Henderson, left Herr Von Ribbentrop, German Foreign Minister, today with the impression that the Reich is standing firm and not ready to compromise.

The view that the Czechoslovakian Government is no longer able to provide the Sudeten Germans that "safety of life and protection from provocation which every State must give its citizens" is emphasised in every German newspaper tonight, while the conclusion that the Reich will intervene and provide these rights is implicit in some leading articles.

A special extra edition of the Angriff reports Czechoslovakian military concentration in Sudeten German districts and the partial closing of the frontier.

Chancellor Hitler's warning that he will not tolerate oppression of Germans outside the borders of the Reich recurs to every mind and the next move in the situation is awaited excitedly by the population which is convinced of Herr Hitler's omnipotence.

Herr Hitler, who is at present at Berchtesgaden, will drive to Munich tomorrow for the opening ceremony of the new underground railway.—(Reuter).

CZECH-GERMAN TENSION AT CRITICAL STAGE—SEE PAGE 9

Henlein Returns To Czech Capital

COLLABORATION DEMANDED BY SUDETENS

Prague, May 22.

Herr Henlein, leader of the Sudeten German Party, arrived in Vienna last night with his wife and took train at midnight for Prague.

Herr Frank, Herr Henlein's Deputy, today called on Dr. Milan Hodza and declared that the measures taken by the Czech authorities to maintain order were most unfortunate and had actually increased excitement among the people.

The Sudeten Germans, he said, demanded restoration of a situation in accordance with the Constitution, which implies the collaboration of the Sudeten German Party in the maintenance of peace, and also demanded that administrative measures be taken to make a repetition of the Eger incident impossible, compensation for victims of the incident and punishment of those responsible.—(Reuter).

OFFICIALS WORK LATE

Berlin, May 22.

High Government officials were working late last night, the Wilhelmstrasse and the Foreign Office being ablaze with lights.—(Reuter).

BRITISH CABINET SUMMONED

London, May 22.

A meeting of Ministers of the British Cabinet has been summoned for 5 p.m. today to consider the international position.

The Premier, Mr. Chamberlain, Sir John Simon (Chancellor of the Exchequer), and Lord Stanley (Dominions Secretary) are already at Whitehall.—(Reuter).

Astonishment In Berlin

British Attitude Criticised

Berlin, May 22.

Berlin political circles express astonishment at the semi-official London attitude towards the occurrences in Czechoslovakia.

Reference is made to the London statement that the British Government does not understand why the Sudetic German Party is unwilling to enter into negotiations in regard to the Nationalities' Statute until the Prague Government has given certain guarantees.

The British Government obviously overlooks, it is declared in Berlin, that the reputedly cordial answer of the Prague Government to the representations made by London is in direct contradiction to the actual situation in Czechoslovakia.

The Sudeten German Party, it is stated in Berlin, has every right to decline to enter into any negotiations until Sudeten Germans are guaranteed at least safety of life and full political freedom.—(Transocean).

THIRTY MILLION CHINESE REFUGEES IN SHANGHAI

Shanghai, May 22.

The number of Chinese refugees now total 30,000,000 according to Mr. Hsu Shih-ying, chairman of the National Relief Committee. He added that the refugees at present registered with and taken care by the various provincial and municipal refugee camps totalled 1,000,000 ranging from month-old babies to 70-year-old men and women.—(Reuter).

DEATH OF MR. D. E. SASSOON

Well-Known Far East Resident

LOSS TO RACING

It is with the deepest that his innumerable friends in the Far East will learn of the death of Mr. David Elias Sassoon, who passed peacefully away in Shanghai yesterday morning after a long and painful illness borne with the utmost fortitude and cheerfulness.

Born on July 8, 1865, he was the last survivor of the children of Elias David Sassoon, founder of the well-known firm of E. D. Sassoon and Company. He was a brother of Sir Jacob Sassoon and uncle of Sir Victor Sassoon, Bart., and in his early days was an active member of the firm.

After retiring to England, Mr. Sassoon returned to the Far East some eleven years ago, where with the exception of occasional visits to Europe and America, he resided up to the time of his death.

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HONG KONG BORN CHINESE TAKES PART IN "RAID"

Liu Yung-kwang, one of the eight young Chinese airmen who made the daring flight to Japan on Friday is a native of Toishan, and was born in Hong Kong.

His father, a businessman here, has received a telegram from Mr. Yu Yu-jen, President of the Control Yuan, praising the bravery of the young man.—(Central News).

JAPANESE TSINPU LINE BROKEN BY CHINESE

Shanghai, May 22.

Reuter's special correspondent with the Japanese forces reports that "Chinese forces, estimated by the Japanese variously at 100,000 to 250,000 strong, which previously withdrew eastward from Hsuchow have succeeded in breaking through westward across the Japanese line on the Tsinpu front towards the remainder of the Chinese armies.

Japanese military authorities refuse to divulge the extent of the break through stating that merely "several columns" succeeded.

The possibility that the whole or majority of the cut-off Chinese armies are rejoining their comrades westward of the Tientsin-Pukow Railway is not denied by the Japanese who admit that they should be able to find a weak spot in the long Japanese lines along the Tientsin-Pukow Railway front.—(Reuter).

CHINESE TAKE LAIHUANG

Hankow, May 22.

Japanese troops are advancing southward along the Lunghai Railway in a attempt to cut the Peiping-Hankow Railway, south of Chengchow an important railway junction according to Chinese despatches.

Japanese detachments are stated to have appeared yesterday at Huishutsi, between Chihsien and Chenliu, and Chinese forces have been sent to attack them.

Japanese aircraft are reported to have heavily bombed Wishi and Tungshu, south of Kaifeng. Chinese military despatches claim the capture of Laihuang, and Chinese forces are reported to be in occupation of several cities on the Lunghai Railway between Hsuchowfu and Lanfeng.

Japanese vanguards on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway are said to have reached Shuankou, south-east of Hsuchowfu. While information is lacking, it is understood that Chinese forces at Hsuchowfu proceeded westward and then turned south-westward to join their comrades in attacking Yungchen.—(Reuter).

CHINESE TROOPS SCORE SUCCESSES IN SHANSI

Rout Japanese Column And Re-enter Heilungkwan

Sian, May 22.

The Chinese troops pressing on Linfen, 226 kilometres south of Taiyuan, from Puhsien in west Shansi, have recaptured Heilungkwan, 25 kilometres northwest of Linfen.

The Chinese routed a Japanese column of 200 men and re-entered the town.

The Japanese at Chiehsien and Yuhsiang in southwest Shansi are besieged by the Chinese. After a siege of several days, Pairanchen, 20 kilometres southeast of Chiehsien, was re-occupied by the Chinese on the afternoon of May 20. The remnant Japanese broke through the Chinese cordon and retired to Chiensien.

Bitter fighting took place at Yuncheng, northeast of Chiehsien, yesterday afternoon. As both sides have massed heavy reinforcements, a decisive battle is expected to be fought there.

JAPANESE REPULSED

Lanfeng, Honan, May 22.

According to a telephone message from the front, Chinese troops repulsed the Japanese occupying Neihuang station on the Lunghai Railway, 15 kilometres east of Lanfeng, yesterday.

The Chinese launched a determined counter-attack in the morning. After a bitter engagement lasting till 4 p.m., the Japanese were defeated and retreated in the west and the northwest directions.

Another Chinese detachment meanwhile attacked the Japanese at Liutichuan, a point near Neihuang. After a fierce close-range fight, the Japanese withdrew in a southerly direction. Twenty-eight Japanese army trucks and several armoured cars were abandoned upon their retreat.

A Japanese cavalry unit of 200 men, which attempted to push toward Kaifeng, was checked by the Chinese at Haomutsun, south of Lanfeng, yesterday morning.

A Japanese unit, which attacked Chuantao, 10 kilometres east of Lanfeng, was also repulsed by the Chinese yesterday. The Japanese set fire to many farm houses to cover their retreat.

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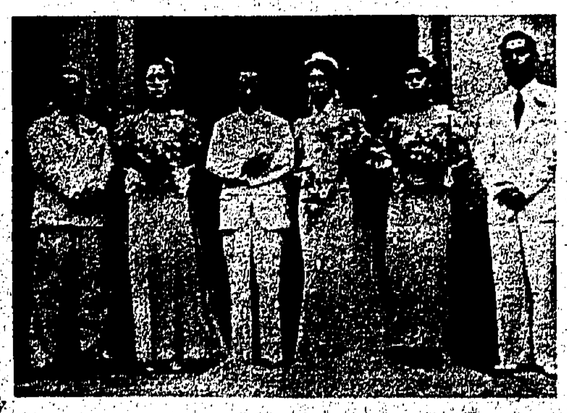

Mr. Arthur Chan, dentist, and his bride, formerly Miss Angelina de Silva, photographed after their wedding at the Rosary Church on Saturday afternoon. The Rev. Father Page officiated at the ceremony. (Photo, Yuen Chun Studio).

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FIGHTING AROUND HOFEI

Liuan, May 22.

Fighting south of the Hwai River, in Anhwei, centres around Hofei.

After the Chinese recapture of Tahushan, a strategic hill on the ouskirts, the Japanese are reported to have withdrawn into Hofei city and to the immediate suburbs. A Chinese vanguard is now only about four miles northwest of the city.

Japanese communications between Hofei and Chaohsien have been totally disrupted.

The Chinese mobile unit which recaptured Chuanchiao 25 kilometres from the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, is now advancing on Wuyi, 20 kilometres northwest.—(Central News).

WEDDING AT ST. ANDREW'S

Group picture taken after the wedding at St. Andrew's Church on Saturday afternoon between Dr. George Guiney Lee, M.D. (Toronto) and Miss Jean Pearl Mark, only daughter of Mrs. Loong King Mark. (Photo, Yuen Chun Studio).

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SIXTH EXTRA MEETING

Two-day Programme

The following is the programme for the Sixth Extra Race Meeting to be held on Saturday June 4 and Monday, June 6:—

FIRST DAY

1.—2.00 p.m.—June Handicap.—Winner $600. Second $300. Third $200. For China Ponies. "A" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. One Mile.

2.—2.30 p.m.—Bondi Handicap—Winner $500. Second $300. Third $200. For Australian Subscription Ponies, "A" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

3.—3.00 p.m.—Whitsun Handicap.—Winner $750. Second $300. Third $200. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. One Mile.

4.—3.30 p.m.—Customs Handicap.—First Section. — Winner $500. Second $250. Third $150. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Customs Handicap (Races Nos. 4 and 9). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

5.—4.00 p.m.—Stonecutters Plate.—Winner $450. Second $225. Third $125. For China Ponies. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season, and Ponies classified "E" Class. Winners of $1,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1938, barred. Weight: 10 lb. under weight for inches. 1 lb. penalty for every $100 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1938. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

6.—4.30 p.m.—Warwick Farm Handicap.—Winner $500. Second $300. Third $200. For Australian Subscription Ponies of this Season. Winners of $1,000 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. From the two Mile Post Once Round & In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

7.—5.00 p.m.—Shatin Handicap.—Winner $450. Second $225. Third $125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season, barred. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance $5. One Mile.

8.—5.30 p.m.—Lead Mine Handicap—Winner $550. Second $275. Third Third 175. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

9.—6.00 p.m.—Customs Handicap—Second Section.

SECOND DAY

1.—12.30 p.m.—Beaufort Handicap.—Winner $500. Second $250. Third $150. For China Ponies, Griffins of this Season. Winners at this Meeting and Ponies that have won $2,000 or more in stakes, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. One Mile.

2.—1.00 p.m.—Lama Handicap.—First Section.—Winner $450. Second $225. Third $125. For China Ponies, "D" Class. Winners at this Meeting, and Ponies that have won $1,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1938, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. Six Furlongs.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Lama Handicap (Races Nos. 2 and 8). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

3.—2.30 p.m.—Whitsun Plate.—Winner $750. Second $300. Second Third $200. For China Ponies that have started at least twice this year at Race Meetings of this Club and have not, at date of entry, won $2,500 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1938. Weight: 148 lb. 1 lb. penalty for every $200 or part thereof won in stakes since 1st January, 1938. Entrance $5. One and a Quarter Miles.

4.—3.00 p.m. Woollahra Handicap.—Winner $500. Second $300. Third $200. For Australian Subscription Ponies, "C" Class. Winners at this Meeting, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round & In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

5.—3.30 p.m.—Smugglers Plate.—Winner $450. Second $225. Third $125. For China Ponies, Subscription Griffins of this Club of this Season classified "E" Class. Winners at this Meeting, barred. Weight: 10 lb. under weight for inches. To be ridden by Jockeys who have not won ten races anywhere at any time. Jockeys, 2 lb. penalty for each race won. Maximum penalty: 10 lb. No Whips or Spurs allowed. Entrance $5. One Mile.

6.—4.00 p.m. — Green Island Handicap.—First Section.—Winner $500. Second $250. Third $150. For China Ponies, "C" Class. Winners at this Meeting, and Ponies that have won 1,000 or more in stakes since 1st January, 1938, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. One and a Quarter Miles.

Note.—One Entry only will be made for the Green Island Handicap (Races Nos. 6 and 7). Entries will be divided into First and Second Sections at the discretion of the Handicapper.

7.—4.30 p.m.—Manly Handicap.—Winner $500. Second $300. Third $200. For Australian Subscription Ponies, "B" Class. Winners at this Meeting, barred. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round & In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

8.—5.00 p.m.—Lama Handicap.—Second Section.

9.—5.30 p.m.—Green Island Handicap.—Second Section.

10.—6.00 p.m.—Lantao Handicap. Winner $550. Second $275. Third $175. For China Ponies, "B" Class. Jockey Allowance. Entrance $5. From the Two Mile Post Once Round & In (About One Mile 171 Yards).

COLONY LAWN BOWLS CHAMPIONSHIPS

Open Pairs Competition Begins This Afternoon

The Colony lawn bowls championships will commence this afternoon with a full programme of matches in the open pairs and open rinks competitions.

OPEN PAIRS

The first block of matches in the above competition are as follows:—

TODAY
On C.S.C.C. Green

L. de Rome and T. Padgett v. A. Baker and A. K. Minu; W. T. Bagley and A. Alves v. A. E. Coates and R. Basa; D. M. Khan and M. R. Abbas v. A. J. Goelho and J. Pau; W. Gill and G. Duncan v. Edwards and Perkins.

On Recreio Green

J. M. Jack and V. C. Labrum v. Petherick and Fergusson; M. Y. Adal and A. R. Dullah v. E. W. Lines and R. Duncan; A. T. Lay and A. Hyde-Lay v. Booker and Ellis; Orem and Mair v. L. Jack and A. A. Dand.

TUESDAY.

On Taikoo Green

Kelley and Nolan v. Cheesman and Henson; Warr and Cook v. Hodges and Brooksbank; C. G. Silva and J. Noronha v. J. Hoosen and A. R. Minu; McGowan and Deakin v. Eastman and Bones.

On K.B.G.C. Green

H. G. Cooper and A. Calman v. A. Steven and J. A. R. Selby; Spary and Steven v. Ribeiro and Alves; Broadbridge and Hirst v. Ribeiro and Alves; Broadbridge and Hirst v. Ribeiro and Basto; Gittins and Y. Abbas v. Lam and Karanjia.

WEDENSDAY,

On K.C.C. Green

M. Ferguson and T. Colman v. Campbell and Wright.

On H.K.F.C. Green

Leonard and Souza v. Castro and Atienza.

OPEN RINKS

The first round matches in the Open rinks competition will be played on Sunday, May 29, the times to be arranged by the skips concerned.

Result of the draw was as follows:—

C. C. Pereira, O. P. Remedios, J. C. Remedios and E. de Souza (skip) v. C. Vas, E. M. Remedios, C. H. Basto and J. J. Basto (skip) at K.B.G.C.

J. Howell, G. S. Graver, A. W. Hodges and A. Brooksbank (skip) v. H. Gittins, J. L. Stephen, A. Spary and A. H. Basto (skip), at Club de Recreio.

W. Glendenning, L. Glendenning, F. Kelly and F. Nolan (skip) v. C. W. Lam, W. J. Howard, N. P. Karanjia and E. Zimmern (skip), at Hong Kong F.C.

R. P. Shaw, E. Strange, G. Duncan and W. Gill (skip) v. A. J. Coelho, S. Lillicrap, W. J. Bagley, A. Alves (skip), at C.S.C.C.

L. F. Xavier, C. E. Marques, F. V. V. Ribeiro, H. A. Alves (skip) v. L. Bones, J. Eastman, V. Petherick, T. Ferguson (skip), at Kowloon C.C.

J. C. Brown, J. Watson, T. Coleman, R. Duncan (skip) v. R. P. Phillips, A. T. Lay, A. Hyde-Lay, E. W. Lines (skip), at Kowloon Dock.

J. R. Soares, J. W. Leonard, L. C. R. Souza, C. S. Rosselet (skip) v. W. J. Penny, K. M. Omar, M. J. Medina, J. Cavanagh (skip), at P.R.C.

MAKING FALSE REPORT

He... For... Chinese

A fine of $250, with the alternative of three months' imprisonment, was imposed on Tong Wan, 21-year-old cook, by Mr. H. R. Butters at Central Court on Saturday on a charge of giving false information to the police.

It was stated that defendant went to Shaukiwan Police Station on May 20, and reported that he had been robbed of $90 by four unknown men. Later he admitted this was false.

Inspector A. Wright prosecuted.

COBRA IN NEW TERRITORIES

A large diamond-headed cobra, was killed during the week in the New Territories.

The cobra, which was nine feet long, was shot dead by Mr Remedios, at the Hong Kong Mines at Lin Ma Hang, near the Chinese border.

Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clark, Director of Medical Services, has been appointed an Official Member of the Legislative Council.

CANTON CITY SMALL-POX DECREASING

No Examination Of Persons Coming To Hong Kong

(From Our Own Correspondent)

Canton, May 22.

As the small-pox epidemic in Canton is subsiding, medical authorities here today saw no reason for declaring Canton as an infected city and, consequently there is no general examination of people leaving this city to Hong Kong.

Mayor Tsang Yang-fu instituted a campaign of free inoculation here several months before the matter became serious in Hong Kong, and the free vaccination was effectively carried out under the direction of the Municipal Bureau of Public Health.

Dr. P. S. Selwyn Clarke, Director of Medical Services in Hong Kong, came here on May 8 and proposed to the Municipal Health Bureau that compulsory inoculation should be enforced as a means to check the epidemic from spreading to Hong Kong, but provincial and municipal authorities held that Canton was not contributing to the epidemic in Hong Kong.

YOUNG CHINESE STEALS $5500

As a result of stealing $5,500 from a dwelling house in Prince Edward Road, a young Chinese boy, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court on Saturday.

On May 19, complainant, a school teacher, returned home in the evening and went to bed, hanging his trousers and jacket behind a door. In one of his trousers pockets was an envelope containing $5,500 in Hong Kong currency, and at nine o'clock the next morning he found that the money was missing.

Investigations proved that defendant, who is a friend of complainant's son was in the house at 8 o'clock. He was found and admitted stealing the money while complainant was out of the room.

He went to Wantsai, changed $500, and bought a wrist watch costing $5, a ring for $1, and $11.32 worth of stamps. He returned to Kowloon and went to the Tung Li Yuen Sweet Shop in Nathan Road, and hid the rest of the money behind a mat. The Shop people did not know of it. Altogether, $5,410.48 was recovered. A remand of 48 hours was granted.

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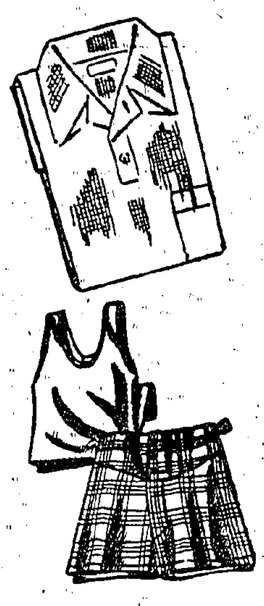

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THE SERVICES

ROYAL NAVY

NEW MINESWEEPER

On the completion of the new minesweeper Leda, which is to run her acceptance trial shortly, H.M.S. Cherwell will paid off into dockyard control at Portsmouth on May 13 and her place will be taken by the Leda in the Fishery Protection Flotilla. The Cherwell is one of the War-built trawlers for minesweeping, and was originally called the James Jones; she was renamed on being fitted for fishery protection duty in 1920.

The Leda, built at a cost of £160,000 at Devonport Dockyard, is the fourteenth ship of the Halcyon class. Lieutenant-Commander N. R. Courthope-Munroe, from the Cherwell, will transfer to her in command.

RETURN OF THE PENZANCE

H.M.S. Penzance, Commander A. W. Clarke, arrived at Portsmouth on May 12 on her withdrawal from the Africa Station, where she has been relieved by the Londonderry, from the Red Sea, the place of the latter having been taken by the Fleetwood, from home.

The Penzance, which has had over seven years' service on the Red Sea and Africa stations, will recommission at Portsmouth on May 16 with the crew of the Lupin, and Commander A. J. Wavish, from that ship, will transfer to her in command. On May 20 the Penzance is to leave for Copenhagen to be present during the annual meeting of the International Council for the Exploration of the Sea.

COMMANDERS' NEW POSTS

Commander (E) F. V. Stopford has been appointed to the Department of Torpedoes and Mining to succeed Commander (E) O. W. Phillips, who has been transferred to the new Department of Air Material.

NAVAL APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments are made by the Admiralty:—

Cart.—R. J. R. Soott, to Victory for course (May 16).

Surgn. Cdrs.—J. C. Crawford, M.B., to Pembroke for R.N.B. (May 9); W. F. Beattie, M.B., to Victory for R.N.B. (May 30).

Lt.-Cdrs.—M. G. Goodenough, to Excellent (May 19); J. R. Roberts-West, to Excellent (June 6); R. P. Tanner, to Gloucester (June 7).

Lt.—R. C. J. Dreyr, to Apollo (June 20).

Sub-Lts.—R. D. Wall, to Pembroke (May 7), and to Adventure (May 16); G. R. Grocock, to Hussar (May 14); K. Barkley, to Medway (May 16); J. H. Shears, to Scimitar (May 26); G. P. W. Edwards, to Wishart (June 11).

Cd. S.O.—W. J. Tilsed to Iron Duke (May 16).

Schoolmaster (C.W.O.)—V. W. Phillips, to Malaya (undated).

Wt. Engr.—R. W. Sherry, to Dolphin (May 21).

RETIREMENT

Engr. Cdr.—H. H. Carter, with rank of Engr. Capt. (May 16).

ROYAL AIR FORCE

GORDON SHEPHARD PRIZE ESSAY

The subject for 1938-39 for the Gordon Shephard Memorial Prize essay, founder in memory of the late Brigadier-General G. S. Shephard, D.S.O., M.C., will be as follows:—

"It has frequently been suggested that bombing attack is best met by fighter aircraft and gun defence and not by counter-bombing. Discuss the practicability of this suggestion with regard to the air defence of Great Britain and deduce what you consider to be the most satisfactory constitution and employment of the Metropolitan Air Force."

Essays in triplicate must be forwarded to the Under-Secretary of State, Air Ministry, in envelopes marked "Gordon Shephard Memorial Essay, 1938-39," so as to arrive on or before February 1, 1939.

MARKING OF OBSTRUCTIONS

The use of red flags for indicating bad ground and areas under repair at aerodromes is to be discontinued. In future, to assist pilots taxi-ing after landing or when taking off, bad ground and areas under repair will be indicated by short stakes placed in pairs from 3ft. to 4ft. apart, with strips of stout canvas, about 12in wide, attached to and stretched between each pair of stakes. The canvas strips will be distempered or painted white.

R.A.F. APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments in the Royal Air Force are notified:—

GENERAL DUTIES BRANCH

Squadron Leader.—R. G. Forbes, to No. 824 (Torpedo Spotter Reconnaissance) Squadron, Far East, to command (April 27).

LONDON GAZETTE

FRIDAY, MAY 13

WAR OFFICE, MAY 13

Maj.-Gen. W. B. Purdon, D.S.O., O.B.E., M.C., M.B., late R.A.M.C., is appt. Hon. Surg. to the King (April 15), vice Maj.-Gen. O. Ievers, C.B., D.S.O., M.B., late R.A.M.C., who has retired.

REGULAR ARMY COMMANDS AND STAFF

The follg. relinquish their appts.:—Maj. and Bt. Lt.-Col. E. G. Campbell, R.A., as G.S.O. 2nd Grade, R.A.F. Cooperation (May 1); Maj. C. W. Richards, R.A.S.C., as Dep. Asst. Dir. of Supplies and Trans., the British Troops in China (May 6).

The follg. appts. are made:—Maj. H. Essame, M.C., North'n R., to be G.S.O. 2nd Grade, R.A.F. Cooperation (May 1); Maj. C. P. Worsfold, M.C., R.E., to be D.A.Q.M.G., Terr. Army, War Office (temp.) (May 4); Maj. F. J. Rice, M.C., R.A., from D.A.A. and Q.M.G. Highland Area, to be G.S.O. 2nd Grade, War Office (temp.) (May 9); Capt. H. J. D. L. McGregor, Camerons, from Staff Capt., 51st (Highland) Div., Terr. Army, to be D.A.A. and Q.M.G., Highland Area (May 9).

ROYAL REGIMENT OF ARTILLERY

Maj. S. E. G. Ponder, M.C., retires on ret. pay (April 1) (substituted for the notifn. in the Gazette of April 1); Capt. G. H. Sloane-Stanley to be Adjt. (April 11), vice Capt. H. G. T. De Saussmarez; Capt. C. O. M. Morris is secd. while holding the appt. of Ballistic Off., Experimental Estabt. (April 14).

CORPS OF ROYAL ENGINEERS

Maj. F. A. V. D. Mathews, D.S.O., M.C., having attained the age for retirement, is placed on ret. pay (May 13).

ROYAL CORPS OF SIGNALS

Maj. H. N. Brown, to be Lt.-Col. (May 8).

FOOT GUARDS

Gren. G'ds.—Lt. D. S. T. B. Dixon is restd. to the estabt. (May 7).

INFANTRY

R. Scots.—Lt. D. A. Duke to be Capt. (March 12).

King's Own R.—The follg. Lts. to be Capt. (March 28):—J. F. M. Openshaw, C. A. Morrell, and remains secd.

Bedfs. and Herts. R.—Lt. L. S. Evans to be Capt. (April 30).

Cameronians.—Capt. W. A. H. Forbes retires on ret. pay (May 12).

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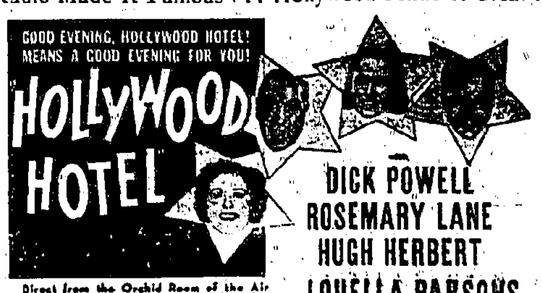

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DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TODAY

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Rogation Day.

Cinemas.—(See Column 3 of this Page)

Lectures.—H.K.V.D.C. Nursing Detachment Lecture on "Home Nursing, by Mrs. Stout, at P.W.D. Offices, 5.30 p.m.

Mails.—(See Page 16).

Meetings.—St. Andrew's Church Medical Relief Working Party, 10 a.m.

Miscellaneous. — St. Andrew's Church Teachers' Preparation Class, 7 p.m.

Moon.—IV Moon, 24th. Day.

Religious.—St. Andrew's Church Bible Reading Fellowship and Fellowship of Youth, 6 p.m

Social.—His Excellency the Governor will dine with the flag officers and members of the Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club, at the Hong Kong Club, 8.30 p.m.; St. Andrew's Club Games Evening

Sports.—(See Page. 10)

Sunrise.—5.41 a.m. **Sunset.**—6.59 p.m

Tides.—High at 03.45 and 12.23 Low at 05.43 and 20.58.

TOMORROW

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Rogation Day. Empire Day.

REGISTRATION OF CHILDREN

Some time is likely to elapse before the powers granted to the S.C.A. under the new Ordinance for the Protection of Women and Girls, by which registration of all transferred girl children is required.

The new law on this subject will be printed in Chinese and widely distributed and published, after which H.E. the Governor will announce the date on which the regulations will come into force.

Registrations of adoptions is required within three months of the official decree.

Meetings.—St. Andrew's Church Brownie Pack, 3.30 p.m.

Miscellaneous.—Rotary Tiffin, Hong Kong Hotel Roof Garden, 1 p.m.

Moon.—IV Moon, 25th. Day.

Religious.—St. Andrew's Church Holy Communion, 7.30 p.m.; Boys' Choir Practice, 6.30 p.m.

Social.—His Excellency the Governor will dine with Lieut. Colonel G.E. Hall, M.C., and the Officers of the 2nd Btn. the Royal Scots (The Royal Regiment).

Sunrise.—5.41 a.m. **Sunset.**—6.59 p.m.

Tides.—High at 13.20. Low at 21.46.

TODAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"The Bad Man of Brimstone"

QUEEN'S:—
"Hollywood Hotel"

ORIENTAL:—
"The Firefly"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"Hollywood Hotel"

STAR:—
"The Key"

MAJESTIC:—
"Ready, Willing And Able"

Coming

KING'S:—
"Lost Horizon"

QUEEN'S:—
"Invisible Menace"

ORIENTAL:—
"The Prince and The Pauper"

ALHAMBRA:—
"Devil Is Driving"
"Love Is On the Air"

STAR:—
"True Confession"

MAJESTIC:—
"Life Begins In College"

READY, WILLING AND ABLE

Delightfully tuneful with a generous dash of light comedy, a romantic story with an unusual twist, and two lavish musical numbers, "Ready, Willing and Able" received enthusiastic acclaim when it was shown for the first time at the Majestic Theatre yesterday.

With a cast headed by the charming Ruby Keeler and ebullient Lee Dixon, supported by such well known players as Carol Hughes, Winifred Shaw, Allen Jenkins, Louise Fazenda, Addison Richards, E. E. Clive, and a bevy of beautiful Bobby Connolly girls, "Ready, Willing and Able" is certain to please the most critical theatre goer and prove a highly profitable investment in entertainment.

Miss Keeler has never appeared lovelier, nor has she shown to better advantage in the two dancing numbers in which she appears. With her, as dancing partner, is Lee Dixon, rangy, young eccentric dancer who scored such a tremendous hit in "Gold Diggers of 1937."

THE BAD MAN OF BRIMSTONE

Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer has assembled a superlative cast and story in "The Bad Man of Brimstone," starring Wallace Beery, which has its run today at the King's Theatre.

Dealing with the wild woolly '80's of the old West, the picture tells how the town of Brimstone finally got law and order.

Fast moving, filled with breathless suspense, "The Bad Man of Brimstone" offers Beery the finest opportunity of his long and brilliant career.

As the head of a gang of outlaws ruling over Brimstone, Beery holds up a stage. In the stage is a young prize fighter, Dennis O'Keefe, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's newest and most sensational discovery since Robert Taylor.

O'Keefe decides to stay in Brimstone and after a short time there Beery discovers him to be his son whom he deserted many years ago. From that point on Beery's struggle is to protect O'Keefe without allowing O'Keefe to realize it.

GOVERNMENT HOUSE INVESTITURE

His Excellency the Governor is to hold an Investiture at Government House on June 1.

It is understood that those to be invested are the Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau, who was awarded the C.B.E. in the New Year Honours List, Major M. A. Johnson, who was awarded the O.B.E. and the Hon. Mr. T. H. King, recipient of the King's Police Medal.

GOVERNMENT TENDERS

Tenders are invited by the Government for alterations to public latrines at Belcher's and Hing Wan Streets, for the erection of a shed for the Imports and Exports Department, for construction of a temporary terminal building at Kai Tak and for supply of steel windows for the new Central Market.

MUSICAL REVIEW OF THE WEEK

(BY 'ALLEGRO MODERATO')

Reverting to our style of being critical after having gone into the 'stratosphere' so to speak, we start by commenting on the Radio Concert given by the Conte Verde Orchestra, last Saturday.

This Orchestra submitted a programme of light Italian numbers. Though small, they play well together with a fire and abandon that is captivating. Our 'cellist Pellegatti was assisting. We had the occasion of hearing this Orchestra play operatic music at a party once, and suggest that the Studio ask them to include some of these in their future broadcasts. We can assure listeners of a delightful programme if this should be effected.

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The Choral Group and the ZBW Orchestra Concert last Sunday night, relayed from Cathedral Hall came as a surprise and compliments must be accorded to the one who thought of featuring these two organizations together—First step towards fusion. For the first time in Hong Kong we heard what is being done in other studios all over the world.

It is certainly a sign of the slow but sure development of Studio ZBW. As a Concert Broadcast it was not perfect . . . logically, that having been the first attempt. There were too many delays . . . noises which were inexplicable to the listener. The balance between the choir and the orchestra was good with the exception of the String Bass which was too much in prominence. Perhaps it was the excessive good sound conduction of the wooden floor.

The choir sang as well as the orchestra played. We personally enjoyed most the Mendelssohn piece . . . 'The Sabbathe Morne' in the beginning, 'La Vergine delli angelis' and the 'Brindisi' from Ernani as well as the solo and duets. No names of the singers were given, but we think everybody recognized the voices of Mrs. Choy, Miss Hyndman and d'Aquino.

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It appeared to us there were two soloists in the Easter Hymn of the Cavalleria . . . why? In this number the sopranos and the contraltos just 'put the lid' on the tenors and basses and eclipsed them completely. What happened to that lusty male section? Were they too far away from the mike?' It was a pity, as we thought this piece well sung. All in all it was a delightful programme and we are eagerly looking forward to another such.

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"Gallant Sun" . . . a new comer, gave us a very good broadcast indeed. She has a beautiful voice and evidently she is not what she was billed as . . . a soprano . . . she is definitely a mezzo or even a contralto. We noted a particular low "f". When she will have improved her enunciation she will surely be ranked among the best singers we have here. The programme was not too carefully selected. We noticed a Brahms song bracketed with "The sunshine of your smile".

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On the 31st of this month, the Hong Kong Singers will present Dyson's "Canterbury Pilgrims," in the Great Hall of the Hong Kong University, at 9.15 p.m. The work consists of "Portraits chosen from the Prologue to Chaucer's Canterbury Tales, set to music for Chorus," Orchestra and Three Soloists . . . Soprano, Tenor and Baritone" represented by Eva Turner, Gaston d'Aquino and Victor Sanders.

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On Saturday the 4th of June, also in the Great Hall of the University, the Choral and Orchestral Groups will be giving a Concert in co-operation with the H.K. Chinese Women's Soldier Relief Association, to raise funds for the 4th Route Army.

Among the executive committee are Mesdames Rose Tam, Y.K. Chua, Violet Chan and Messrs. Percy Chen, Li Chor Chi.

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The concert will consist in the first part of vocal, instrumental and orchestral numbers. The novelty number will be presented in the second part when the choir will perform a Fantasia of the Opera "Rigoletto," (quite a concise performance of the entire Opera), in which the principal pieces follow each other in the same sequence as they appear in the Opera itself.

We consider this the nearest approach to the performance of Opera as is the original intention of the Groups. They first started with choruses, then duets, trios and quartets and now a Fantasia. Judging from the progress the final goal of stage production must surely be reached. It is, we admit, a risk, but such enthusiasm as shown by the members will surely warrant it.

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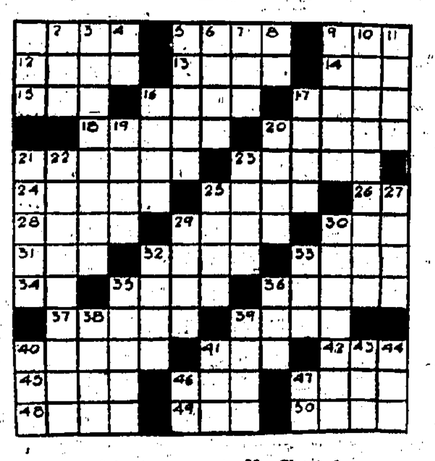

ACROSS

1 What is the first name of the architect of the Woolworth Building, New York?
5 Recent Premier of France?
9 Writing fluid
12 Yellow oil of buttery consistency
13 Fail to keep
14 Female of the deer
15 Companion
16 Make smooth
17 Soft swollen area
18 Woke up
20 Munch
21 Vilest
23 Who wins the love of the Duke of Illyria in Shakespeare's Twelfth Night?
24 Impaired by disuse
25 Stinging insect
26 Negative
28 Who was the Egyptian goddess of fecundity?
29 Place where money is coined
30 Feminine name
31 Devoured
32 Geometric figure
33 Ancient
34 Near (abbr.)
35 Manufactured
36 Narrow strip of water
37 Unaccompanied
39 Take on cargoes
40 Unsteady light
41 Amusement
42 Pinch
45 Military assistant
46 Gained a victory
47 Musical instrument
48 Periods of time
49 Urge on
50 What British general made the famous tank surprise attack on the Cambrai front?

DOWN

1 Tube on which silk is wound
2 Winged part
3 Who is the exiled emperor of Ethiopia: Haile ——?
4 Therefore
5 Explosion
6 Adore
7 Utilise
8 Myself
9 Imaginary
10 Transatlantic liner
11 Retain
16 Nosegay
17 Cutting stroke
19 Steeps in moisture
20 Chest for sacred utensils
21 Who appeared opposite Helen Hayes in What Every Woman Knows: —— Aherne?
22 Continent
23 Weathercock
25 Beverage
27 Malt kiln
29 Fashion
30 Who directed the campaign that captured Jerusalem in 1917?
32 Walking stick
33 Goal
35 Fixed customs
36 Masculine name
38 Wife of a nobleman
39 Respiratory organ
40 Craze
41 Haze
43 Electrified particle
44 Bolt
46 Plural pronoun
47 River in Siberia

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Spanish War

ONLY MINOR FIGHTING

EAST FRONT QUIET

Barcelona, May 21.

A Republican Spanish War Ministry communique states that only minor fighting occurred on the east front.

On the Levant front the enemy launched a violent attack and succeeded in recapturing Perrubial Hill in the Cedrillas sector, but loyalist troops arrested this gain from the enemy in a brilliant counter-attack.

The insurgent troops also attacked Penarroya Hill in the same sector, whereupon the loyalists answered with a counter action and recaptured Hill 1940, east of Pentrroya.

Other insurgent onslaughts on Loma del Burro were likewise repulsed.

In the Mosqueuera sector the insurgents captured Cabezo Hill but only at the cost of heavy losses.

WEATHER IMPEDE OPERATIONS

In Salamanca, an insurgent communique states that insurgent troops repulsed a further counter-atiack launched by the enemy in the Villa Franca del cid Hectol on the Castellon front.

The weather continued to impede operations.

In the Madrid quarter a mine was exploded in the enemy lines.—Trans-Ocean.

CONFUSED SITUATION IN LUNGHAI ZONE

Foreign Correspondents To Inspect Scene

Shanghai, May 21.

Details of the present confused situation in the Lunghai Railway zone will be available probably only after the visit of the four foreign correspondents who left Shanghai by plane for the war zone yesterday.

That the capture of Hsuchow by the Japanese does not mean termination of the fighting in the Lunghai Railway zone and south Shantung is proved by a report that the Japanese navy was able to disembark a landing party at Lienyunkang, the eastern terminus of the Lunghai Railway, yesterday morning only after overcoming strong Chinese resistance.

It is not yet known whether new Japanese troops have been landed there. It is more likely that munitions and other supplies were landed.

STILL RESISTING

Japanese statements in Shanghai reveal that the Japanese have so far been unable to locate the bulk of the Chinese army retreating from Hsuchowfu, and have only observed a strong concentration of Chinese forces 10 kilometres east of Hsuchow.

It is also admitted by the Japanese that the Chinese have occupied trenches between Kweiteh and Lanfeng, on the Lunghai Railway, and are still resisting Japanese attacks.—(Transocean).

LANFENG SITUATION IMPROVES

Chinese Hold Back Fierce Japanese Onslaught

Chengchow, May 21.

Anxious moments for the situation at Lanfeng, which became tense at six o'clock last evening when heavy Japanese artillery forces opened concentrated fire on the city were over by one o'clock early this morning.

Strong detachments of Chinese forces fighting back with great calm and determination, have firmly held the Japanese attacks back with the tide of war "gradually turning in favour of the defenders."

Lumbering into action, Chinese mechanized column played an important part in checking the Japanese onslaught, and extended their activities along the railway zone to crush out many straddled Japanese units.

According to military intelligence, over 10,000 Japanese are now scattered along the Lunghai railway at different points west of Hsuchow, with Neihwang, Ifeng, Lichwang and Hwangkow in their possession.

DOIHARA'S TROOPS

The main force of the invaders, it is reported, are distributed within a distance of five or six kilometres north of the railway, while a few detachments are holding several towns and villages south of the line.

The troops under General Doihara, it is stated, have figured prominently in the recent operations in west Shantung.

Most of the railway bridges and railway tracks east of Lanfeng on the Lunghai line were destroyed by the Japanese forces.

STUBBORN RESISTANCE

During the last several days, the Japanese launched several heavy assaults near Lanfeng, but were repeatedly driven back by stubborn Chinese resistance. Heavy fighting now continues to rage at many points.

It is claimed that in a sanguinary encounter east of Lanfeng yesterday morning, over 1,000 Japanese invaders were slain in action—(Central News).

NO ANGLO-DUTCH MILITARY PACT

Co-operation Quite Natural

The Hague, May 21.

A denial that a military pact exists between the Netherlands and Britain regarding the Netherlands East Indies, was given in the Senate yesterday by the Minister for Colonies.

The Minister said that contact and co-operation with the authorities in Malaya in civil and police affairs was quite natural, but had nothing to do with defence.

He added that the Netherlands was considering strengthening the navy and would put a third group of 39 Glen Martin bombers at the disposal of the army in Java.—(Reuter).

LORD NUFFIELD'S RESOURCES

To Be At Disposal Of Air Ministry

London, May 21.

Lord Nuffield saw Sir Kingsley Wood, the new Air Minister, yesterday afternoon.

They discussed the rapid production of aircraft and Lord Nuffield placed his services at the disposal of the Air Ministry, according to a statement issued later by the Air Minister.—(Reuter).

P. I. ECONOMIC FREEDOM

Washington, May 21.

Full economic independence for the Philippines by 1960, instead of 1946, is recommended in the report of the Joint Preparatory Committee on Philippine Affairs.

The report deals only with economic independence. Political independence for the islands remains fixed for July 4, 1946.—(Reuter).

NEW GERMAN WARSHIP

Berlin, May 21.

As the first of four new German battleships, the 26,000-ton "Gneisenau" was put into service today at the shipbuilding yard of the firm of Deutsch Werke.

The ceremony was extremely simple and consisted of a short speech by the ship's commander, Captain Foerste, followed by the order "hoist flags and pennants."

The new "Gneisenau" is the third vessel to bear that name in the German navy.

She is 226 metres in length, 30 metres broad and has a displacement of 25,000 tons. Her armament consists of nine 26-centimetre guns and twelve 15-centimetre guns—(Transocean).

MINIATURE TRAINS COLLIDE

Many Injured At Glasgow Fair

Glasgow, May 22.

Two trains of the miniature railway at the Empire Exhibition here collided head-on today, resulting in 17 persons being injured. Three are injured very severly.

Thirteen others suffered from shock.—(Reuter).

BISHOP OF NANKING IN PARIS

Paris, May 22.

The Bishop of Nanking was received by the French Colonial Minister yesterday.

The Bishop was accompanied by the Chinese Ambassador in Paris, Dr. Wellington Koo — (Transocean).

JAPANESE ADMIRAL TO COURT SYMPATHY

"Specialist" Reported To Be Active In Amoy

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

Canton, May 21.

Rear-Admiral Tadao Honda, former Naval Attache at the Japanese Embassy in Shanghai, is reported to be active in South China to continue his press liaison work by contacting foreign correspondents and newspapers, through which he presented the Japanese case in Shanghai, it was learned here this morning.

A Swatow intelligence report stated that the Japanese naval officer has gone to Amoy in connection with further designs on the mainland of Fukien. The same message added that Changchow and Lungjen are the possible objectives.

Rear-Admiral Honda is interested in creating a good press in South China in view of the fact that the overwhelming majority of foreigners in this part of the country is sympathetic with the Chinese cause. Several naval staff officers in the intelligence section and journalists are assisting the admiral in this work.

With regard to the closing of Mo Tao Men (Grinding Knife Gate) and Yai Men between Chungshan and Toishan counties in South-west Kwangtung, it was learned that two Japanese destroyers lurked in that vicinity on May 17 and made soundings, while at night they directed searchlights on the estuaries. On the previous day, a flight of Japanese bombers unloaded explosives with the object of deepening the entrances.

SPY SCARE

These movements caused the Chinese authorities to close the two waterways to navigation, hence all vessels have to enter the West River via the Bocca Tigris channel. One Japanese destroyer today anchored about nine miles below the Bocca Tigris forts.

Precautions are taken here against spies, and the Canton-Kowloon and Canton-Hankow Railways are instructed to keep a special watch on female agents who are suspected to be under the direction of Messrs. Suzuki and Wada, intelligence officers.

STAFFORD BY-ELECTION

London, May 22.

The polling in the by-election at Stafford, caused by the succession of the late Colonial Secretary, Mr. Ormsby Gore, to peerage has been fixed for June 9.—(British Wireless).

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Wesley Commemoration Service At Cathedral

REV. SANDBACH ON THE WORK OF THE GREAT EVANGELIST

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Thus said the Rev. J. M. Sandbach, Minister of the Methodist Church, Happy Valley, in his sermon at St. John's Cathedral yesterday during the Wesley commemoration service.

A large and distinguished gathering attended, including His Excellency the Governor, Sir Geoffry Northcote, and Lady Northcote.

Below is part of the text of the sermon:—

Wesley's life almost spanned the 18th century, when the world was passing through the throes of revolution and readjusting itself for a new era of industrial and national life. And during those critical years, it was this man and his influence which preserved the balance of things.

That is the judgment of no less an authority than Lecky. "Lecky declares indeed, that the Evangelical Revival counted for more than all those splendid victories on sea and land that happened during the 18th century. That is a tremendous thing for a sober, reliable historian to say. And that French historian, whose "History of the English People" has now been published in three volumes in the Penguin series says "This Movement—The Evangelical Revival—explains the extraordinary stability which England was destined to enjoy throughout a period of revolution and crises."

We do well therefore to say, "Thank God for May 24, 1738. And we say that, because that glorious Evangelical Revival dawned that memorable night, when Wesley felt his heart strangely warmed.

It is not easy to give a name to what came to Wesley on that occasion. To call it his conversion is to be untrue to his long years of sacrifice and devotion. Even the usual term Evangelical Conversion seems insufficient. It was rather the day of his glorious illumination—the day which lifted his life to a new and higher level—that changed his thinking, willing and loving. It was the day that made him fling himself into the saddle and become a travelling Gospel preacher in Three Kingdoms. A man with a new freedom and a new passion.

FIERY ARDOUR

God came that day into the very midst of his life and transformed the somewhat rigid—yet always sincere—man into a new man of fiery apostolic ardour.

And how desperately that positive message was needed by that age. Wesley was surely God's answer to an urgent situation. A professed disregard for religion was spreading over the country. Wesley was soon to have startling evidence of the true state of affairs as he travelled about pursuing his campaign.

In too many places he found evil in the ascendancy. In too many places he found drunkenness, cursing, and swearing, gambling, and thieving to an appalling degree. He also found a widespread condition of doubt and uncertainty about God and the future life; and this was one of the main contributory causes of those excesses which have been mentioned. For without the inspiration and restraints of a vital religion, the way is soon open to evils of every kind.

He found also much social unrest. Little attempt was being made to give the masses a fair deal. In too many instances they were being exploited, and it is not to be wondered at that among the masses there were smouldering fires waiting a blaze up into open revolt.

At Village Cross and City Square—on the wide common and at the pit head he spoke sure word about God and offered salvation to the people. And he offered it in a positive way because of his own experience. It was a case of—"what we have seen and felt—with confidence we tell."

LOVE OF GOD

He believed that Love of God and all mankind was "the medicine of life, the never failing remedy for all the evils of a disordered world; for all the miseries and vices of men."

He proclaimed that Penitence and faith were the doors leading into that religion of love and joy and peace. And so he was not an adventurous speculative theologian but a preacher of the vital and experimental theology of the great doctrines of Grace.

Little wonder that God honoured the work of such a man who took the world for his parish; who was so ruthless with his own feelings and who spent himself in labours aboundant.

And let us never forget that he was called upon to travel a hard road; the bitter road of persecution and ill-treatment in the early years. He was slandered, mobbed, stoned, spat upon, but never suppressed. He never feared to face the mob. There were times when the storm of persecution burst on him in full violence and he was in imminent danger for hours together.

And it needs to be pointed out he was ill-equipped physically for such treatment—for the commonly believed story that Wesley was a man of iron constitution is far from being the truth. He was a frail child, and the story of his long reliance upon God performed incredible feats of courage—industry and endurance.

He showed, through his own experience, that men can be certain of God, and that they can have power over sin because of the reality of God's Grace. He proved that we can have assurance of sins forgiven, so that we need not live as servants in some narrow outbuilding, but as Sons in the spacious freedom of a noble home.

He was sent, further, to show that what men need is a positive message, which is backed by a definite experience. And if we can challenge the men of our own time with such a message, reinforced by our own certain, and obvious, experience, they will respond.

CHRISTIAN MISSION TO SEAMEN

The second annual meeting of the Christian Mission to Chinese Seamen was held in the mission's headquarters in Jordon Road on Saturday afternoon.

The annual report on the work of the mission was read by Mr. B. J. Tan, superintendent, while Mr. C. K. Pang gave a detailed report of the visits to boarding houses and ships entering the harbour.

Among other speakers were the Rev. H. R. Wells, the Rev. Y. S. Yung, and Mr. Mak Mui-sang.

GURU NANAK BATHING CLUB

New Amenity For H. K. Indians

The Guru Nanak Bathing Club, the first such Indian club in the Colony, was formally opened at Kennedy Town by its president, Mr. Baden Singh, on Saturday afternoon.

A large number of people attended, including representatives of all the sections of the Indian community. Speeches were made by Mr. Badan Singh, Mr. H. S. Rathour, Hon. Secretary, Mr. K. B. Vaidya, Mr. Seth-Armitial, and Mr. A. el Arculli.

Among those present were:—The Hon. Mr. T. H. King and Mrs. King, Mr. Badan Singh, Mr. and Mrs. Rathour, Messrs. Jenkins and Nash, Mr. Johnston, Mr. K. B. Vaidya, Mr. Seth-Amritial, Mr. A. el Arculli, Mr. Isher Singh and Mr. Gurbachan Singh.

"WHAT IS THE EMPIRE?"

Tomorrow being Empire Day, a talk, on "What is the Empire?" will be given at the tiffin meeting of the Rotary Club. The name of the speaker will be announced at the meeting.

NO PASSPORT

George Saharoff, 32, engineer, residing at Repulse Bay, was fined $20 by Mr. R. Edwards at Central Court on Saturday for entering the Colony without a valid passport on May 12.

Detective-Sergeant Loughlin said defendant had a travelling document issued by the German Consulate in Shanghai.

FUNERAL OF MR. H.F. WESTLAKE

Large Attendance At Services

A very large number of friends gathered at the Colonial Cemetery Chapel on Saturday when the funeral service of the late Mr. Henry Frederick Westlake was held, the Rev. D. Rosenthall officiating. After the service the body was taken to Sookunpoo for cremation.

The coffin, draped with a Union Jack, was borne to the Chapel by members of the Armoured Car Company of the Volunteers, of which the deceased was Company Sergeant.

The pall bearers were Messrs. Butler, Crawford, Ingram, Stott, Gibson and Gash.

Captain Williams and Lieut Hamilton, officers of the company, were also present.

THOSE PRESENT

Among those present at the service were:—The Chief Justice, Sir Atholl MacGregor, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindsell, Mr. J. A. Fraser, Mr. E. H. Williams, Mr. L. R. Andrews, Mr. W. J. Lockhart Smith, J. P. Murphy, Mr. J. Whyatt, Mr. D. Davis, Mr. H. J. Millington, Lt.-Comdr. Grenham, Lieut.-Col. R. C. B. Anderson, Lt. Parkinson, Lt. Ross, Capt. Williams and Lt. Hamilton, Messrs. L. E. Lammert, W. A. Haller, W. Harrison, A. Hume, MacMahon, J. Edwards, H. Gittins, P. D. Crawley, A. J. G. Taylor, J. J. Hollidge, R. R. Davies, J. Deakin, A. Wattle, R. J. Hunt, J. Wadmore, T. Carr, C. M. Younger, and Ah Moy, also representatives of the Battery, Engineer, Portuguese, and Machine Guns companies of the Volunteers.

The Registrar of the Supreme Court, Mr. E. P. H. Lang, was unable to attend the funeral as he was himself unwell. The late Mr. Westlake was in his department.

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BRIDE'S DRESS OF WHITE FRENCH SATIN

PRETTY KOWLOON WEDDING

LEE—MARK

A pretty wedding took place at St. Andrew's Church, Kowloon, on Saturday afternoon, between Dr. George Guiney Lee, M.D. (Toronto) and Miss Jean Pearl Mark, only daughter of Mrs. Loong King Mark. The Rev. D. Rosenthall, acting Vicar, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride was given away by her brother, Mr. Joe H. Mark, and looked charming in a dress of white French satin on princess lines with full train and angel-skin bolero of lace. She also had a three-quarter length veil of tulle with orange blossoms on her head. Her bouquet was of calla lilies.

The bridesmaids were the Misses M. Quon and T. Wong who wore dresses of French moire on princess lines with short mauve tulle veils, held in place by gardenias. They carried posies of gardenias.

Miss Fan J. Lee, B.P.E. (Toronto), was the matron of honour. Her dress was a duplicate of the bride's in white French moire with shirred cotton lace bolero and short white veil crowned with mauve daisies.

The bride's mother attended in a dress of gray silver lace with black accessories and a mauve gladioli corsage.

The duties of best man were discharged by Dr. F. Pon.

After the ceremony, a reception was held at the Gloucester Hotel where many friends gathered to offer their felicitations to the newly-weds.

Dr. and Mrs. George G. Lee later left for their honeymoon which is being spent in Cheung Chau, the bride's going-away costume being of blue and white painted crinkly crepe with white bolero and white accessories.

The bride was born in China in 1905 and went to Canada at an early age. She graduated at the Margaret Eaton School of Physical Education which is affiliated with the Toronto University.

ROSARY CHURCH WEDDING

The wedding took place at the Rosary Church yesterday between Tan Kwong-wah, son of Mr. Tam Chung, of No. 27 Gillies Avenue, and Miss Wong Woon-ying daughter of Mr. Wong Chan-sing No 31 Gillies Avenue.

Mr. Tam Kwong-chui performed the duties of best man. Miss Tang was the witness. The Rev. Fr. L. Fung officiated.

The honeymoon is being spent in Macao.

TWO SATURDAY WEDDINGS

At St. John's Cathedral on Saturday, Miss Rose Lee Sui-king became the bride of Mr. Stephen Boon Yong-fong, undergraduate of the Hong Kong University.

The ceremony was conducted by the Reverend G. K. Carpenter, Warden of St. John's Hall.

Miss Angelina Maria da Silva, formerly of No. 43, Peking Road, was married to Mr. Arthur Chailly Chan, dentist, of No. 8, Ashley Road, at the Rosary Church on Saturday afternoon. The Reverend Fr. D. Page conducted the ceremony.

CAMPBELL MURDER SEQUEL

Leave to appeal has been granted by the Judical Committee of the Privy Council in the case arising out of the murder of Captain D. L. Campbell, on board the Chinese Customs cruiser, "Cheung Keng," on January 11, 1937, it was learned on Saturday.

Chung Chi-cheung, it will be recalled, was sentenced to death on August 24. His appeal, based upon the contention that the Hong Kong court had no jurisdiction over the accused, was dismissed on October 15, but leave to appeal to the Privy Council was granted, and the sentence of death has since remained in suspense.

The date of hearing of the appeal by the Privy Council is not yet known.

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Fortunately no one was hurt. The bus sustained a slightly damaged mudguard. The private car, however, was overturned, with damages to the mudguard and hood. Inspector Ki, who received a slight scratch on the temple, had to crawl out of the car.

INDECENT ASSULT ALLEGED

On alternative charges of indecent assault and common assault, Wai Ting, 42, an unlicenced marine hawker, of No. 164 Aplin Street ground floor, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Kowloon Court on Saturday.

Defendant is alleged to have indecently assaulted a fourteen-year-old girl, Cheung Nui, who was living in the same address, on May 20. Police Sergt. Kelly prosecuted.

A week's remand was given, and the case will be heard on on Tuesday, May 31, bail of $100 being allowed.

NEW JUSTICES OF THE PEACE

His Excellency the Governor has been pleased to appoint the following to be Justices of the Peace for the Colony:—

for the Colony:—

Official: Mr. V. C. Branson, M.C.; Dr. P. F. S. Court; Dr. G. V. A. Griffith; Mr. R. J. Minnitt; Mr. C. Mycock; Mr. H. H. Pegg; Mr. A. Pollard; P. C. M. Sedgwick; Hon. Dr. P. S. Selwyn-Clarke, M.C.; Mr. C. G. Sollis; Mr. G. E. S. Upsdell.

Unofficial—Mr. D. Benson; Mr. Chau Shiu-ng; Hon. Mr. S. H. Dodwell; Mr. J. Finnie; Professor W. I. Gerrard; Mr. W. R. De De C. S. Mansfield; Mr. A Morse; Mr. J. Petrie; Mr. H. Seth; Professor R. K. M. Simpson; Dr. Wai-tak Woo.

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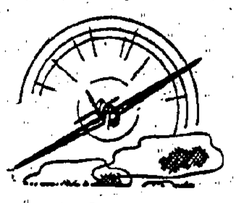

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DEATHS

SASSOON, DAVID ELIAS, in Shanghai, on Sunday, May 22, 1938, in his 73rd year. Deeply regretted.

TSAO.—On May 12, 1938, at his residence, Lane 502, House 43, Weihaiwei Road, Shanghai, Mr. *Tsao Lan Chiu*, *comprádore* of the Holland China Trading Co. (Shanghai), Limited, aged 56. Deeply regretted.

CHEN.—On Friday, May 13, 1938, at the Country Hospital, Dr. H. H. Chen, aged 45 years, the dearly-beloved husband of Mrs. Suk Ching Chen and father of Carlo and Willie.

Mr. R. K. Laing concluded his lecture on "The Lotus Sutra" at the meeting of the Theosophical Society on Thursday, which a large number of people attended.

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TOLERANCE

TOLERANCE has been recognised as a virtue only in recent times. More recently still it seems to be regarded in certain countries as a vice.

Religious tolerance, as a professed public policy, first found expression in the American colonies among the people who had left Europe to avoid persecution. Even among those people intolerance revived and was watered by ignorance and malice. Political and class intolerance survived long after religious toleration had been proclaimed, if not actually practised.

In Western civilisations a spirit of tolerance was disseminated during the nineteenth century. Earlier than that it was prized in England for its own sake. Milton was its most eloquent exponent, but he stood for thousands who had inherited the tradition of liberty.

JOHN LOCKE wrote his famous "Letter of Toleration" in 1689, and it is of historical significance that tolerance was embraced for its practical value to the State as much as for its high qualities of justice and right.

In England there appears to have been a period of stagnation following the Restoration. The light was kept burning, but the worshippers were few. There were numerous poets of liberation in the eighteenth century. Freedom of expression was general, however, and people had come to take it for granted.

TAKEN FOR GRANTED

This period in England was probably much more important for liberty than was that which preceded the French Revolution, in which people waded "through slaughter to a throne" and continued the slaughter there.

As a contribution to liberty and to tolerance, the price of the revolution was heavy and the advantage slight. Its evil consequences flow still. The historic falsehood that butchery advanced liberty has sustained many a holocaust in our own day.

The autocracies of central and southern Europe were the direct result of the subjugation of liberty. A free democracy struggling for the right to live is at a disadvantage against a solid autocracy determined on aggression.

IT WAS the hard necessity of circumstance that gave some sort of justification for Signor Mussolini's dreadful diatribe: "Liberty is dead and her corpse already putrescent."

In the long history of Rome from the Caesars to Garibaldi such words have been uttered many times as a lament, but never before as a boast. Democracy has its birth in liberty and its development in freedom of speech.

FREEDOM OF SPEECH

Men do not as of natural impulse concede freedom to others or extend tolerance to their opinions. These virtues are acquired rather than natural. The recognition of the practical value of liberty to the State was the outcome of long and hard experience.

Tolerance and freedom are attributes which all share; they invite a social generosity and an unselfish concession. Intolerance and tyranny may have their beginning in the necessity that knows no law, but they are maintained in selfishness in arrogance, and in unceasing fear that the people will resume possession of something that is rightly theirs and of which they have been robbed.

There can be no intellectual or moral accommodation with intolerance. Plausible excuses intended to "blazon evil deeds and consecrate a crime" are of fairly recent origin.

THEY ARE the compliments which intolerance pays to more enlightened ideas in the same sense that it has been said that hypocrisy is the homage that vice pays to virtue.

Certain it is that the conquerors of the ancient "woe to the vanquished" type did not bother to fashion excuses for bloodletting, destruction and robbery.

DID NOT FASHION EXCUSES

No-one today would wish to be regarded as intolerant. Those willing to inflict disabilities on others for opinions honestly entertained usually deceive, or attempt to deceive, themselves.

They plead the necessity or the pursuit of a greater good, in the same mistaken spirit that the least malevolent of rulers persecuted the early Christians in the interests of established order.

There was more genuine statecraft and more honest belief in that than there is in the contemporary tyrannies which buttress intolerance on spurious racial claims, on unsound national traditions, or, worst of all, on the plea of economic justice.

Mr. Ho Shih-cheng, a noted Shanghai lawyer and member of the Central Executive Committee of the Kuomintang, will accept the post of Chairman of the Anhwei Provincial Government, alleged to have been offered to him by the "Reformed Government" in Nanking the Crystal learns from interested circles. Mr. Ho was at one time President of Tze Chih College in Kiangwan.

CHINESE WINGS OVER JAPAN

HONG KONG, MAY 22.

IT IS CLEAR that, despite assertions to the contrary, the Japanese do not understand the Chinese. The ferocity of the indiscriminate bombings of non-combatants and civil populations which the Japanese airmen have carried out have failed to have the desired effect. The terror of air bombardment has failed to shake the morale of the Chinese people. And on the contrary has even served to awaken the nation to unite in a determined fight to defeat the invader.

Will the Japanese who picks up a leaflet dropped by the Chinese planes over Osaka and Sasebo feel the magnanimity of the gesture and appreciate this demonstration of the might of China? It is too much to hope for this—just as it is too much to hope that the "civilian population and the Japanese Emperor" will rise and oppose the Japanese military for their invasion of China.

But let the Japanese propagandists who are so vocal in this Colony convey to their people that the Chinese people applaud the method in which warning was given to the Japanese people and the Japanese Emperor of the things in store for them "if they fail to rise against their military for their invasion of China."

In the air, the Chinese forces have shown a consistent development both in performance and range. Wherever and whenever they have deemed it expedient to dispute supremacy in the air they have emerged victorious. Whether in Hankow or Canton or at Hsuchow or in Shansi, these young and gallant airmen have been able to impose their will upon the Japanese flyers by shooting them down.

Over Formosa military objectives were reached and bombed by Chinese planes without the loss of a ship. And the shadow of Chinese wings have now been spread over Japan carrying with it ominous doom to Japanese imperialism.

IT IS NOT the nature of the Chinese people and their leaders to go mad with hatred, or be moved to barbarity through a feeling of desperation. The raid on Japan was a deliberate action, conceived, planned and carried out with efficiency that is characteristic of Young China. Retaliation against Japanese indiscriminate bombing has not entered into the picture yet. The Chinese are not in desperate straits as are their enemies. Nor do they need to slaughter innocents in order to impose their will upon the Japanese militarists either in China or in Japan.

In the field of battle at Hsuchow the initiative remains with the Chinese Command. Their forces are intact and the likelihood of another "Talerchwang" is becoming more and more promising. But in this case it will not be a local victory. It may well alter the course of the entire war.

The battle for Hsuchow up to now has cost the Japanese more than 100,000 in killed and wounded. The cost has been great, but the price has not been completely paid. There is more owing, for after Hsuchow—what next? And the strategic situation remains the same: if anything a degree more dangerous for the invaders.

The swift advances in West Shantung from north and south have been carried out by the Japanese with the aid of mechanised units supported by cavalry. In some cases they actually did reach the Lunghai railway but everywhere they were driven off and pursued. The main Japanese advance is east of Hsuchow and it is from that direction that the further advance is to be made.

The Chinese lines have swung north and south and are pivotted on the Yellow River. The Tsin-Pu Railway will remain under threat from the Chinese forces for a considerable time to come.

FROM THE STRATEGIC point of view, the capture of Hsuchow and the elongating of the fighting front from Suiyuan in the north to Hsuchow in the south present the Japanese with a situation that is fraught with grave danger. As a result of this, one is not surprised to find that in Shansi the Japanese are falling back to rest their defences upon the mountains on the borders of Shansi and Hopei provinces.

And once beaten out of these defences, as they probably will be during the course of the next months, there may be no recourse for them but to confine themselves to holding Peiping and Tientsin and other fortified points north of the Yellow River. However, with the arrival of heavy artillery for the Chinese forces they should be able to drive the invaders from these strongholds.

Under these circumstances it is permissible for the Chinese people and their leaders to accept the Japanese threat "to storm Hankow" and to attack South China with scepticism, and to view the future military campaign with equanimity.

Japan has disclosed her military weaknesses during the campaign in Shantung. Her leaders have shown their limitations, inferiority has been demonstrated in her soldiers' handling of modern weapons, and her vulnerability as to man power has been proved conclusively.

By the capture of Hsuchow Japan hopes to begin political manoeuvres to stave off final defeat. By linking up the Peiping and the Nanking regimes (albeit by air communication) Japan hopes to extricate herself from the toils of Chinese Nationalism.

But adventures begun by hotheaded militarists of the Kwantung Army and the Imperial General Staff are not so easily called off. Peace can be achieved only by the admission of failure, a complete withdrawal from Chinese soil, and the abolition of Manchukuo. The Chinese achievements during the battles in Shantung and in Shansi have shown that they can and will impose their will upon the Japanese invaders. And this is the will of the Chinese people.—(P. C.).

FASHION NOTES FROM THE VALLEY

LIGHT COLOURS FAVOURED DESPITE MOIST

"HORSES, Horses, Horses, All The Pretty Horses."

The Boss wanted the ponies, the people who go to see them run, and those who put up their "filthy lucre" covered.

Said I to myself, "Do I look like a gambling woman?" The answer evidently is "yes." We had to take a bus home, that No. 1 pony in the fifth race has the price of our new shoes—there have been better days.

Happy Valley was the scene of the moist presentation of the Fifth Extra Race Meeting, Saturday afternoon, which was witnessed by approximately a thousand people.

Though the track was muddy, and showers fell intermittently during the afternoon, the form was exceptionally good and the mutuel play was satisfying.

FASHION PARADE

Harbinger of summer styles was the Fashion Parade at the course. There were statuesque, petite, blonde, brunette, and auburn-tressed damsels displaying the latest in styles and colour combinations. Several dark suits and ensembles were noted, but on the whole the light colours predominated.

Three outstanding costumes noted during the afternoon were as follows.

A smart, severely tailored black crepe which was trimmed in white. A white petal, close fitting toque, with black eye veil was worn with this ensemble. Pearls at the throat, black shoes, gloves, and bag were the accessories.

No. 2 of the outstanding costumes was a two piece tailored brown, with white pin stripe, suit. A tailored yellow crepe blouse and a large brimmed yellow felt with brown ribbon trim at the crown made a pleasing contrast. The shoes and bag of dark brown leather completed the outfit of the attractive, blonde lady.

The third costume success was worn by a Chinese miss. Tailored in the usual Chinese dress style, the silk crepe material of bright raspberry was trimmed in bands of white at the high collar. The same trim was carried out in white frogs and at the hem and sides of the straight skirt. White shoes, gloves and bag accompanied this ensemble which was most striking to the eye.

DELIGHTFUL SURPRISE

Back to the jockeys and their beasts. The last race was a delightful surprise for many, Mr. L. J. A. Fielden, riding his own horse Estover to win, played Santa Claus to his backers, to the tune of $163.30 dividend.

At that point we, ourselves and friends wept into our tea and beer respectively. However, we congratulate Mr. Fielden on his success and capable riding.

Homeward bound in a downpour we resolved to be on hand with all the cash in the children's ten cent bank when the next meet rolls around, June 4.—(A. W. Hyer).

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Hello & Goodbye

—BY A. W. HYER—

C.N.A.C.—Captain H. L. Wood

"MOMMA, buy me that."—"That is a two months old panda, Pandora to her public.

Now Pandora is quite tame and has a very bearish sense of humour. She was attired in a black and white coat of bear fur, very heavy for this climate. A half-inch studded leather collar with a lead attached was worn around her neck.

Pandora goes for sugar cane in a Big Fashion and while chewing away, informed us her trip from Chengtu by the C.N.A.C. plane was quite a novel experience.

ABOARD the President Cleveland, Saturday, as we bid Pandora goodbye, she rolled on her back, all four feet in the air, and proceeded to stick out a huge pink tongue.

Such disgust, playfulness, or what, ain't very ladylike Pandora, you had better "mind your manners in New York at the Zoological Society and the New York Fair of 1939, where we hope to renew our acquaintance."

Mrs. W. Petro, of New York and Chengtu, was the chaperone for Pandora, who arrived Thursday, 1.30 p.m., via C.N.A.C.

President Cleveland

WITH CONFETTI still clinging to the ports and flying in the breeze, Captain C. Jockstad sailed the President Cleveland down the harbour, en route for Japan and San Francisco.

Miss Betty Chun, of New York, is on her way home, after a four months' visit in the Colony. Miss Chun will cross the United States by rail to New York, where she will take up again the business of designing fashions.

The din in Cabin No. 133 was caused by the popular Miss Chun's friends, who were saying "Goodbye," and "Come back soon," all at one time. It was truly a send-off, and we hope her voyage will be as gay.

Brave Man

WE FOUND a brave man on the President Cleveland, Mr. Roy C. Spooner, a Canadian from the West China Union University, going on a year's vacation.

Under his watchful eye are Mrs. Spooner, David, five years old, Hilliard, two and a half, baby Nora, four months, and the shameless two months old Pandora, who occupies an air-conditioned cabin on the bridge. We give Mr. Spooner the prize of the week for bravery on this score.

Mr. Spooner was indefinite regarding his return to the Far East. He would like to spend a year at McGill University at Montreal. Sorry to be leaving China, "As life here today is crowded with interest." Mr. Spooner and family are looking forward to one grand vacation in the States and Canada.

Captain Jockstad, the bachelor Skipper ("He says the ship always sailed in time"), took us to the bridge and pointed out a flag of white with a green cross, dated 1937, Marine Safety Award.

As this was "Greek" to us, he explained, "Every year the U.S. Marine Department issues one of these flags to skippers who have passed the year without accidents to their ship, passengers or crew aboard."

Naturally Captain Jockstad is proud of this flag and he reports he is on his way to win one for 1938. Good Luck, Captain.

Empress of Japan

FRIDAY, 7.15 a.m., and it wasn't a lovely a.m. to be caught in that six inches of rain which was reported to have fallen.

The arrival of Captain L. D. Douglas and his palatial Empress of Japan could not distract us from wet feet, wet trench coat, and rivulets of water cascading from our hat brim. Yes, we were all wet (no remarks, please!).

Cabin No. 121 yielded a sleepy, but most attractive American lady, Mrs. W. G. MacDonald, wife of a Dollar Line executive of Shanghai.

Mrs. MacDonald, wrapped up in a large, white terry cloth robe, bestowed a glare with a smile upon us. (Don't shoot, lady, though she would have been justified in murder at that hour).

Transhipping to the President Cleveland, Mrs. MacDonald is returning to the States on a six months' vacation, where she will be joined by Mr. MacDonald within a month.

Very interested in races and all that pertains to them, Mrs. MacDonald, who owns several ponies, had hoped to attend the Fifth Extra Race Meeting, Saturday. Instead it was "Aloha" from her many friends as she sailed 12.12 p.m. on the President Cleveland.

Mr. Roy C. Spooner and Master David Spooner.

Mr. A. C. Beard, representative of United Steel Companies, Ltd., was ready to swear at us too. But we turned on our nicest smile, and he, being a charming gentleman, capitulated and informed us that he would be stopping at the Hong Kong Hotel for several months.

Mr. Beard arrived in Shanghai, April 1, from London via Siberia. This is a business trip, however, we hope it will not be all work and no play during his stay in Hong Kong.

Pan American Airways

Air Mail Service to Alaska

IN THE UNITED STATES the celebration of "National Air Mail Week" (May 15 to 22) has just closed. The event marked the 20th anniversary of sending mail through the air.

The outstanding feature of the celebration was the opening of the first regular air mail service in Alaska, linking Juneau with the inland capital of Fairbanks.

The new service is offered by Pacific Alaska Airways, the Arctic subsidiary of Pan American Airways System.

China Clipper

CAPTAIN J. H. Tilton in his China Clipper descended through the muggy fog to a perfect landing at Kai Tak, 11.30 a.m., Wednesday.

Mr. Jan H. Marsman, one of Captain Tilton's six passengers, arrived attired in a white sharkskin suit with a red rose in his lapel (that boutonniere was most becoming), the essence of coolness and comfort.

Mr. Marsman, due to business interests here, will be a regular commuter to Hong Kong in the months to come.

The Colony appeals to Mr. Marsman, who is seriously cogitating building a home here. Mr. Marsman sailed at 10 p.m., Friday, via Empress of Japan for Manila.

Adios, 'til the next trip.

CZECH-GERMAN TENSION IS AT CRITICAL STAGE

SHOOTING OF TWO YOUNG SUDETENS ON BORDER ADDS FUEL TO FLAME

Events in Central Europe moved at an alarming pace during the week-end and, as the result of incidents wherein it was alleged that Sudeten Germans had been attacked in Czech towns and two young Sudeten farmers were shot dead by Czech police at Eger, on the frontier, considerable tension exists between Germany and Czechoslovakia.

Reports state that both Germany and Czechoslovakia have moved troops to the border. Czech reservists have been called out.

The crisis has been precipitated by disturbances in connection with the Czech municipal elections, which were to have been held yesterday.

Owing to alleged ill-treatment of Sudetens by Czechs, the Sudeten German Party stated that it would refrain from negotiating with the Czech Government on the Nationalities' Statute as long as order was not guaranteed.

LONDON WATCHES THE EUROPEAN SITUATION

Sudeten-German Problem Causes Anxiety

London, May 22

The Foreign Secretary returned to London from Oxford today and was at the Foreign Office this morning. He will keep in close touch with the events over the week-end and the Prime Minister, who is spending the week-end in the country, has also arranged to be kept constantly informed.

As seen from London yesterday, the developments in relation to the problem of Sudeten-German in Czecho-Slovakia involve some retardation of the improvement in the situation which it was hoped had followed the conversations which the British representatives have recently had in Prague and Berlin.

So far as the Czecho-Slovak Government is concerned it is acknowledged here that it has given ready and wholehearted response to the advice which the British Government has offered in Prague in accordance with its undertaking in the course of the Anglo-French conversations in London in April to use its influence in all quarters with a view to finding the elements of an agreement on this question.

EVIDENCE OF SINCERITY

The British action was inspired by the desire, shared by the French Government, to see an orderly and peaceful solution reached. There is evidence also of the sincerity of the Czecho-Slovak Government's response in the preparations it has made for the initiation of the conversations with the leaders of the Sudeten-German Party.

In these circumstances the decision of the Sudeten-German Party to ask for guarantees as a condition of entering into conversation is, in the view of His Majesty's Government, an attitude which "puts the cart before the horse," since obviously the matters involved in the condition which Herr Henlein's party is now making should form part of the contemplated negotiations.

The British Government has spared no effort to secure, by friendly and timely exercise of its influence, an orderly and peaceful solution of this problem and it may be assumed that any new development which threatened to prevent the successful outcome to these efforts would cause regret and disappointment in official circles here.

TROOP MOVEMENTS

The emergence of new difficulty and rumours which had been current of unusual troop movements have combined to bring the Sudeten problem once again into prominence in the newspapers. As regards the troops movements, as already reported, the British Ambassador made enquiries in Berlin yesterday and was, as a result, able to send to London the assurances from the highest quarters in the German army that there had been no concentration of troops other than that occasioned by army exercises. Sir Nevile Henderson also saw the German Foreign Minister in Berlin today.—(British Wireless).

Sir Robert Vansittart, above, Chief Diplomatic Adviser to the British Government was present at a conference between Lord Halifax, British Foreign Secretary, and Herr Von Dirckseh, German Ambassador to London, yesterday, according to a Reuter message.

CZECH FRONTIER MEASURES

HUNGARY PROTESTS

Budapest, May 22.

Hungary protested to Czechoslovakia against frontier restrictions imposed, states the newspaper Pester Lloyd, which declares that Czechoslovaks are forbidden to enter Hungary and Hungarians are not permitted to enter Czechoslovakia owing to military measures on the frontier.

The procedure is described as a distinctly unfriendly act on the part of the Czech Government.

Competent quarters in Prague are stated to have given an assurance that this is only an improvised measure by subalterns and would be withdrawn immediately. It is added that Hungary is completely calm though news of the measures aroused indignation in Budapest as there was reason for them.—(Reuter).

HOPED TO AVERT WAR

Prague, May 22.

"We fear nothing at all," declared President Edouard Benes, speaking at Tabor last night.

He hoped, however, that another European war would be avoided and that the coming talks with the various nationality groups would lead to a satisfactory issue.

Czechoslovakia, he said, was arming like the rest of Europe and he was sure that, if necessary, they would defend the state to the uttermost and do it successfully.—(Reuter).

RESERVISTS MOBILISED

Prague, May 22.

Dr. Krofta, Foreign Minister, yesterday received successively the British, German and French Ministers and explained that troops had to be sent to the frontier to maintain order.

Reervists had to be called up purely as a precautionary measure to keep order in the towns during the absence of the regular troops.

A Sudeten German Party communique issued last night describes the calling up of reservists dangerous and illegal because the order originated from the General Staff, who are not entitled to deal with public order.

The communique asks the population to remain calm.—(Reuter).

BRITISH ENVOY SEES RIBBENTROP

Berlin, May 22.

The British Ambassador, Sir Neville Henderson, saw the German Foreign Minister, Baron von Ribbentrop, yesterday, apparently in order to receive confirmation of yesterday's assurances that there were no troop movements near the German-Czech frontier.

The meeting lasted an hour.—(Reuter).

NO RUMANIAN TROOPS

Bucharest, May 22.

Reports of the concentration of Rumanian troops on the Czecho-Slovakian frontier are emphatically denied in semi-official quarters here.—(Reuter).

INDIGNATION IN BERLIN HIGH

Berlin, May 22.

A very serious view is taken here of the developments in Czechoslovakia and a distinct feeling of tension has sprung up overnight, being nourished by reports of incidents in which Sudeten Germans were involved.

Headlines in the newspapers continue to fan public indignation to a white heat.—(Reuter).

FRANCE WATCHING

Paris, May 22.

The French Government is following developments in Czechoslovakia with the closest attention, according to the Petit Parisien, which stresses that both the French and British Government are endeavouring to prevent a conflict from developing out of the recent incidents.

France, says the paper, unceasingly gives counsels of moderation to Czechoslovakia, with whom she is united by ties of friendship.

The paper points out that should it be proved that subaltern officials had committed mistakes it would be incumbent on the Czechoslovak Government take disciplinary measures against them.—(Transocean).

NO DECISIONS

Prague, May 22.

The Czech Cabinet Council, with President Benes in the chair, lasted till the early hours of Sunday morning, without, however, reaching any decisions. Political circles believe that efforts were made to settle the divergencies which have arisen between Dr. Benes and the premier, Dr. Hodza, but apparently without success.

It is said in these circles that Dr. Hodza, in the interests of peaceful development of the situation, would be inclined to make far-reaching concessions to the Sudeten German Party but that Dr. Benes considers such concessions as excessive.—(Transocean).

APPEAL FOR CALM

Prague, May 22.

The appeal for calm made by President Benes and the measures to be taken by the Ministry of War are prominently featured by the entire press here.

The organ, Venkow, which is closely connected with Premier Hodza, emphasises the importance of the President's appeal and at the same time demands that the Government should have courage to tell the truth to its own followers.—(Transocean).

KILLED OUTRIGHT

Prague, May 21.

Two German farmers named Boehm and Hofmann were fired on and killed by Czechoslovak National Guards early this morning when motor-cycling from Eger to Franzensbad.

The shots were fired from barracks where a detachment of frontier guards is lodged.

Hofmann was killed on the spot. Boehm, succumbed shortly afterwards in hospital.

Tense excitement prevails in the town of Eger, where the streets are patrolled by armed Czechoslovak National Guards.—(Transocean).

The German press refers to the incident as "a brutal murder which surpasses all excesses of the past few days."

The Angriff, the official newspaper, says, "The responsibility for the terrorist measures against Sudeten German rests with the Czech Government."—(Reuter).

IMMEDIATE INQUIRY

Prague, May 22.

An immediate inquiry is being instituted into the deaths of the two Sudeten German farmers who were shot near the Czech-German frontier.

The two men, it is stated, were travelling very fast and disregarded the police order to halt, whereupon the police fired on the machine but inadvertently hit the riders, who died shortly after admission to hospital.—(Reuter).

CHINESE MARRIAGE

Mr. Stephen Boon Yoon-fong, undergraduate of the Hong Kong University, and his bride, formerly Miss Lee Sui-king, after their marriage at St. John's Cathedral on Saturday afternoon. (Photo, A.C.P).

NERVOUSNESS LESS VISIBLE

QUIET IN PRAGUE

Prague, May 22.

Sunday morning opened quietly in Prague where the streets were comparatively empty owing partly, no doubt, to the continuous heavy rain. Hence the general aspect of the city presented a striking contrast to the past few days of feverish excitement. Nervousness, however, although less visible has not diminished. On the contrary it has possibly been increased by the failure of the Cabinet which sat till the early hours of Sunday morning to reach a decision. The internal situation remains very obscure.

In view of the grave decisions which the Cabinet will have to take, the municipal elections themselves have been relegated to the background. It is considered certain that the Sudeten German Party will have a big majority in the Sudeten area.

Polling began on Sunday at 8 o'clock and will continue till 5 p.m. Prohibition will remain in force till polling booths have closed. Voting is compulsory for all citizens of both sexes of 21 years of age and upwards. Fines imposed for abstention vary from 50 to 5,000 crowns, unless it can be justified by very cogent reasons, such as illness. Owing to the somewhat complicated method of voting, which entails the necessity of subsequent lengthy calculations, it is generally believed that the results of the elections will not be known before the early hours of Monday.

PROTEST LODGED

The Sudeten German Party announces that is has lodged a protest with competent authorities against reports published by the Czechoslovak Press Bureau concerning recent events in the Sudeten area. A statement issued by the Party headquarters stresses the impossibility of publishing the truth about the shooting of two Party members, Boehme, and Hofmann at Eger, as it has been ascertained by the Party Deputy, Dr Fritz Koellner, as a result of his investigations on the spot. The statement goes on to declare that the Party rejects the official report on the subject since it is contrary to the truth and that it had addressed a vigorous protest to the Government against such a distortion of the facts.—(Transocean).

BONNET SEES BECK

Paris, May 22.

The French Foreign Minister M. Georges Bonnet, this morning received the Polish Ambassador, M. Lukas Wiewicz, who has just returned from Warsaw where he had long conversations with Colonel Josef Beck and other Polish Government members.—(Reuter).

Prof. Harry Ore's pianoforte pupils will give a recital at St. John's Cathedral Hall on Monday next at 5.30 p.m. Miss Marina Barretto will assist in the programme.

THE LUNGHAI FRONT

No Major Change

Chengchow, May 22.

There was no major change on the Lunghai front yesterday, according to military advices received here from the front late last night.

The Chinese were still holding Tsaohsien, Shanhsien, and Chengwu in southwest Shantung; Peihsien, Fenghsien and Tangshan in north Kiangsu; and Kaocheng, Lanfeng and Hsiayi, in east Honan.

CHINESE WITHDRAW FROM SUHSIEN

Simultaneously with the evacuation of Hsuchow the Chinese troops withdrew from Suhsien, on the Tientsin-Pukow Railway, 105 kilometres south of Hsuchow on the night of May 19. The localities to where they withdrew have, however, not been disclosed.

On the morning of May 20 a Japanese detachment arrived at Chakow, 31 kilometres north of Suhsien.—(Central News).

ON TO HANKOW!

JAPANESE BOAST

Shanghai, May 22.

"We intend to push on to Hankow," declared General Hata, commander-in-chief of the Japanese forces, to Reuter's correspondent with the Japanese on the south Tientsin-Pukow Railway front, today.

Asked whether the Japanese considered the occupation of Hankow was more important than the occupation of Canton, General Hata replied, "That is a political question", adding that he was a soldier and not a politician and could deal only with questions in the military sphere.—(Reuter).

KOWLOON CANTON RAILWAY

LOCAL TIME TABLE

N.B.—For timings of Shuttle Service between Taipo Market and Fanling, please read timetables exhibited at stations.

UP TRAINS

Stations	Local	Queen's Pier Express Ferries	Up Slow	Taipo Mkt. Express Ferries	Local	Local Goods	Local	Taipo Mkt. Express Ferries	Local	Up Mixed	Local	Local	Yuen Long Express	Local
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
		S		S		G		H		G				
Kowloon ..Dep.	6.30	8.25	8.40	9.10	9.54	11.15	12.12	1.08	1.25	3.07	4.18	5.23	6.05	7.55
Yaumati ..Dep.	6.38	...	8.51	...	10.01	11.25	12.30	...	1.32	3.06	4.27	5.31	...	8.02
Shatin ...Dep.	6.50	...	9.03	...	10.13	11.40	12.32	...	1.44	3.18	4.40	5.43	...	8.14
Taipo ...Dep.	7.03	...	9.16	...	10.27	11.55	12.46	...	1.57	3.32	4.54	5.56	...	8.27
Taipo Market. Dep.	7.08	...	9.25	...	10.32	12.08	12.52	...	2.02	3.42	5.06	6.02	...	8.36
Fanling ...Dep.	7.19	...	9.36	...	10.43	12.30	1.02	1.42	2.12	3.53	5.17	6.12	...	8.47
Sheungshui Dep.	7.24	9.01	9.40	9.51	10.48	12.35	1.07	1.46	2.17	3.58	5.22	6.17	...	8.52
Shumchun.Arr.	7.30	9.07	9.46	9.57	10.54	12.41	1.13	1.52	2.23	4.04	5.28	6.23	6.40	8.58
Canton ...Arr.		...		...		...		...		...			9.00	...

DOWN TRAINS

Stations	Down Slow	Local	Down Mixed	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local	Local Goods	Yuen Long Express
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.	P.M.
			G								G	
Canton ..... Dep.	...	A.	...			...				..	...	5.50
Shumchun .....Dep.	6.30	7.06	7.35	7.58	9.59	12.17	2.28	5.39	6.40	7.18	8.12	
Sheungshui .....Dep.	6.37	7.13	...	8.03	10.06	12.24	2.36	5.46	6.47	7.29	...	
Fanling .....Dep.	6.41	7.18	7.46	8.10	10.10	12.29	2.44	5.50	6.51	7.37	...	
Taipo Market.....Dep.	6.51	7.29	7.58	8.21	10.20	12.41	2.58	6.01	7.01	7.51	...	
Taipo .....Dep.	7.03	7.35	8.03	8.26	10.26	12.47	3.04	6.06	7.06	8.00	...	
Shatin .....Dep.	7.17	7.49	8.17	8.40	10.39	1.01	3.18	6.19	7.19	8.15	...	
Yaumati.....Dep.	7.34	8.02	8.32	8.52	10.51	1.14	3.31	6.31	7.31	8.31	...	
Kowloon ..... Arr.	7.40	8.08	8.38	8.58	10.57	1.20	3.37	6.37	7.37	8.37	8.57	

G—Goods Train (Carries no passengers). S—Sundays and Holidays, First class only.
H—Saturdays only (First class only).

Further information may be obtained at the Railway Offices, Kowloon, or Canton, from Messrs. Thos. Cook & Son, Ltd., Hong Kong, The American Express Company, Hong Kong, The China Travel Service, 6, Queen's Road, Hong Kong, Messrs. Wing On Co., Ltd., The China Emporium, Ltd., The Travel Advisers, 315, Gloucester Building, Hong Kong, and from The Hong Kong & Shanghai Hotels Co., Ltd.

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Attempted Revolution In Mexico

Mysterious Plane Bombs Temporary Residence Of President

BRITISH MINISTER'S ESCAPE

Mexico City, May 22.

An attempted revolt by General Cedillo, virtual ruler of the state of San Luis Potosi, whom President Lazaro Cardenas recently dismissed on the ground that he had engaged in subversive activities, is reported in an official communique issued here today.

It is announced that an aeroplane last night flew over the city of San Luis Potosi, where President Cardenas is at present staying, and dropped four bombs on the aerodrome. There were, however, no casualties.

Government planes at once took to the air and chased the raider, but without success.

The incident is regarded as a revolutionary move on the part of General Cedillo.

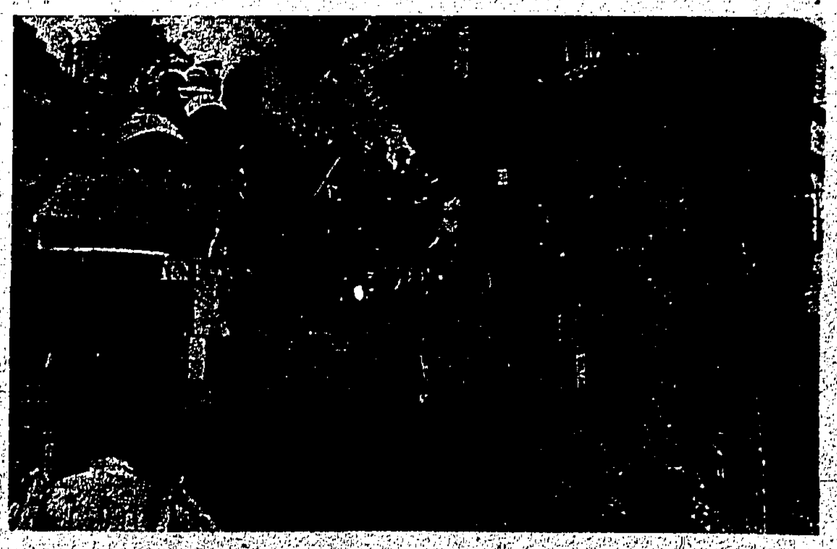
A later message from Mexico City reports that General Camacho, War Minister, stated that Federal troops, with the aid of planes, dispersed 300 armed rebels who had ambushed a cavalry regiment at Rio Verde. Fifteen rebels were killed.

BRITISH ENVOY

Rebel prisoners state that they were ordered to blow up a bridge on the railway near the U.S. frontier.

Mr. Owen St. Clair O'Malley, the British Minister, who was recently recalled, had a narrow escape as he had at first intended to travel by rail to the United States. He decided at the last minute to travel by sea.—(Reuter).

BRITISH AMBASSADOR'S PARTY AT CHUNGKING



The city of Chungking is set on the top of a hill. When the British Ambassador, Sir Archibald Clark Kerr, recently proceeded there to present his Letters of Credence, he and his entourage ascended the hill by means of sedan chairs.

Fine Riding By Mr. H. C. Pih In Fifth Extra Race Meeting

STRATHROY BEATEN BY COURTING EVE

Mr. Cyril Gregory Out Of Novices Class

The fine riding of Mr. H. C. Pih was one of the features of the Fifth Extra Race Meeting which attracted a very mediocre crowd, due no doubt to the uncertainty of the weather. Another feature was the win by Mr. Cyril Gregory on Centre Court in the Wallsend Handicap by virtue of which he has earned the right to have his name in black letters.

The digest dividend of the day was returned by Estover in the last race when the backers received $163.30 for their modest $3 investment.

The track was on the heavy side after the rain but on the whole, some very good racing was seen, two of the races providing particularly close finishes.

Strathroy, Mr. J. F. Macgregor's champion Australian pony, was beaten by Courting Eve (Mr. H. C. Pih) and Blandford (Mr. W. C. Poy) in the Brisbane Spring Handicap while the Nanling Stakes,

The Honeymoon Eve-Split Hand combination for the Daily over half-a-mile, fell to Split-Hand, ridden by Mr. Ip Kui-ying. Double paid successful punters $64.60.

YANGTSZE HANDICAP

The rain came down fast as the field of six was about to be sent away for the Yangtsze Handicap, the first race of the day but it did not dampen the spirit of those concerned and a grand finish was seen betwene Expression Time (Mr. B. L. Tao) and Handicap Eve (Mr. Y. T. Fung), the former finally winning with something to spare. Handicap Eve was hot favourite while the third place was taken by Rose Jane (Mr. W. C. Poy).

BRISBANE SPRING HANDICAP

Mr. H. C. Pih scored a surprise win on Courting Eve in the Brisbane Spring Handicap to pay his backers $32.20 the much-fancied Strathroy (Mr. D Black) having to be content with third place, the intermediate position falling to Blandford (Mr. W. C. Poy).

Courting Eve led the field from the time the barrier went up and never lost it, the other jockeys being too busy "watching" Strathroy. Home Brew (Mr. A. W. Raymond) and Electron (Mr. S. C. Liang) figured promisingly for a bit—but only a bit and before the race was half-way through, faded out of the picture.

WEST RIVER HANDICAP

A thrilling finish featured the West River Handicap, Scenic View (Mr. H. C. Pih) winning by a head from Laughing Girl (Mr. S. C. Liang) which was the same distance ahead of Just In Time (Mr. B. L. Tao).

Scenic View and Just In Time set the pace for this race followed by King's Lead and King's Bounty and though the first three maintained their positions till the Village Bend, King's Bounty was soon out of the race.

Laughing Girl, lurking behind for the parts of the race finished so strongly that it threatened to overtake Scenic View but the latter held out to pay its backers $19 for a win.

PEIHO HANDICAP (FIRST SECTION)

Another very close finish was seen in this race which Dekko (Mr. B. A. Proulx) won by a head from Piet Hein (Mr. H. C. Pih) with Valorous (Mr. Y. T. Fung) third, the same distance behind.

The field was bunched together all the way and there was really nothing in the race until the last hundred yards or so when the first three ponies had to fight out the issue between them.

SHING MUN HANDICAP

Mr. H. C. Pih won his third race of the day when he brought home Honeymoon Eve in the Shing Mun Handicap, the feature of this race being the fact that four ponies from the Law stable faced the starter.

The field was sent away to a good start and three of the Eve ponies figured in the first four up till the Village Bend when the rest of the field caught up on the leaders. Boolat Bay (Mr. D. Black) looked like winning but Honeymoon Eve was too good and won comfortably.

WALLSEND HANDICAP

Mr. C. L. Gregory won this race in fine style on Centre Court to pay his backers and incidentally graduated from the Novices Class. It was a great race that he rode—led all the way to win by many lengths.

Dick Turpin (Mr. W. C. Poy) had to run hard for second place, the other position being filled by Vixen Tor (Mr. B. A. Proulx).

Rex (Mr. A. W. Raymond) was left at the start but made a gallant but unavailing effort towards the end having to be content with fourth place.

NANLING STAKES

This race was over half-a-mile and as may be imagined all were eager to get a good start. The field was sent away together with Sahara Star (Mr. B. A. Proulx) slightly in the lead.

After coming into the home stretch, however, Split Hand (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) moved up nicely from about the middle of the field to win by a length from Lancashire Chap (Mr. L. B. Chao) who had, in the meantime, overtaken Sahara Star.

WEST RIVER HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

Smiling Thru', ridden by Mr. B. L. Tao, came through in grand style to win the West River Handicap (second section) by two lengths from Tampa Bay (Mr D. Black) with Soldier of China (Mr. S. W. Tang) occupying third place.

Sunlight View (Mr. W. H. Choy) set the pace and led for three parts of the race but after that nothing more was seen of this animal. Soldier of China at one period looked as though it would win but finally had to bow to two superior animals.

PEIHO HANDICAP (SECOND SECTION)

The last race of the day (as was the case in the first race) started in a heavy drizzle which perhaps suited Estover, ridden by the owner, Mr. L. J. A. Fielden, who ran like a veteran to win by a length from Meteor (Mr. A. W. Raymond). Tabby Cat (Mr. H. C. Pih) and Atomic Star (Mr. S. N. Pan) dead-heated for the third place.

1.—Yangtsze Handicap (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Li Po-chun's Expression Time, 161 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 1
Mr. C.K.L.'s Handicap Eve, 154 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 2
Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Rose Jane, 140 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy) 3

Won by length-and-a-half, five lengths between second and third.
Time: 1.27.3.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $31.50.
Places: $8.50, $6.40, $11.50.
Also ran:—Elizabeth, 161 lbs. (D. Black); Fowey, 140 (H. P. Chanson); Pinfarthings, 161 (B. A. Proulx).

Betting	Win.	Place
Elizabeth	257	165
Expression Time	222	195
Fowey	121	184
Handicap Eve	644	480
Pinfarthings	284	218
Rose Jane	61	104
Total	1,589	1,346

2.—Brisbane Spring Handicap (1¼ Miles)

Mr. Lan's Courting Eve, 148 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1
Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Blandford, 142 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy) 2
Mr. J. F. MacGregor's Strathroy, 165 lbs. (Mr. D. Black) 3

Won by six lengths, two lengths between second and third.
Time: 2.16.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $32.20.
Places: $8.30, $11.40, $6.50.
Also ran:—Electron, 145 lbs. (S. C. Liang); Home Brew, 135 (A. W. Raymond); Lancashire Chips, 144 (B. A. Proulx); Tornado Star, 137 (C. L. Gregory).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Blandford	71	149
Courting Eve	298	292
Electron	327	344
Home Brew	81	157
Lancashire Chips	73	164
Strathroy	1,276	834
Tornado Star	46	130
Total	2,172	1,869

3—West River Handicap—"C" Class (From the Two Mile Post Once Round and In)

Mr. Lan's Scenic View, 142 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1
Mr. Henry's Laughing Girl, 148 lbs. (Mr. S. C. Liang) 2
Mr. Li Po Chun's Just In Time, 154 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 3

Won by a head, the same between second and third.
Time: 2.15.2.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $19.00.
Places: $8.10, $8.50, $10.50.
Also ran:—Amberley, 144 lbs. (Y. T. Fung); King's Bounty, 137 (C. L. Gregory); King's Justice, 151 (S. L. Yuen); King's Lead, 156 (D. Black); Lancashire Lass, 161 (Ip Kui-ying); Rose-Queen, 168 (W. C. Poy); Royal Consort, 158 (H. P. Chanson); Tyne, 161 (L. B. Chao).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Amberley	135	180
Just In Time	298	303
King's Bounty	22	58
King's Justice	18	31
King's Lead	399	376
Lancashire Lass	374	208
Laughing Girl	466	478
Rose-Queen	197	213
Royal Consort	67	64
Scenic View	642	537
Tyne	143	183
Total	2,761	2,631

4.—Peiho Handicap—"D" Class (From the 1½ Mile Post)

Mrs. Seth's Dekko, 153 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 1
Mr. Hollandia's Piet Hein, 149 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 2
Mr. Helenside's Valarous, 162 lbs. (Mr. Y. T. Fung) 3

Won by a head, the same between second and third.
Time: 1.12.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $13.60.
Places: $6.70, $12.00, $10.10.
Also ran:—Araxy, 140 lbs. (D. Black); Borrachito, 148 (L. B. Chao); Cuban Love, 137 (K. I. Ip); Election Time, 163 (A. F. D. Colson); Fei Ying, 140 (A. W. Raymond); Final Triumph, 150 (W. C. Poy); Gold Coin, 150 (Ip Kui-ying); Golden Cow, 165 (S. C. Liang); Gold Sovereign, 140 (Tang Man-wa); Mac's Adventure, 140 S. L. Yuen); Zero, 140 (T. W. Chattey).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Araxy	152	162
Borachito	24	18
Cuban Love	35	23
Sekko	1,011	957
Electron Time	193	254
Fei Ying	293	328
Final Triumph	322	246
Gold Coin	108	146
Golden Cow	132	142
Gold Sovereign	70	56
Mac's Adventure	34	23
Piet Hein	248	205
Valorous	346	369
Zero	38	23
Total	3,006	2,952

5.—Shing Mun Handicap—"B" (6 Furlongs)

Mr. Lan's Honeymoon Eve, 155 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 1
Mr. L. Dunbar's Boolat Bay, 145 lbs. (Mr. D. Black) 2
Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Potentate, 168 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy) 3

Won by length-and-a-half, half-a-length between second and third.
Time: 1.28.3.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $40.40.
Places: $13.70, $39.40, $7.
Also ran:—Commencement Bay, 145 lbs. (S. C. Liang); Half-Moon Eve, 154 (Y. T. Fung); Harvest View, 140 (S. L. Yuen); Havoc Eve, 159 (W. H. Choy); Humdrum Eve, 157 (F. F. Li); Jober, 135 (C. L. Gregory); New Star, 165 (S. W. Tang); Red Feather, 151 (K. I. Ip); Soldier of Britain, 168 (Ip Kiu-Ying).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Boolat Bay	301	317
Commencement Bay	66	93
Half-Moon Eve	270	166
Harvest View	56	70
Havoc Eve	17	23
Honeymoon Eve	1,296	898
Humdrum Eve	346	384
Jober	60	71
New Star	328	334
Potentate	132	197
Red Feather	23	14
Soldier of Britain	63	60
Total	2,958	2,677

6—Wallsend Handicap (6 Furlongs)

Mr. T.K.L.'s Centro Court, 155 lbs. (Mr. C. L. Gregory) 1
Mrs. Eu Tong-sen's Dick Turpin, 146 lbs. (Mr. W. C. Poy) 2
Mr. Tinson's Vixen Tor, 159 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 3

Won by many lengths, two lengths between second and third.
Time: 1.19.

Also ran:—A Great Time, 149 lbs. (S. L. Yuen); Aztec, 165 (L. B. Chao); Brutus, 150 (A. F. Ingram); Derby Day, 165 (S. W. Tang); Discovery Bay, 152 (D. Black); Katinka, 159 (A. E. D. Colson); Lucky Lad, 152 (S. C. Liang); Rex, 140 (A. W. Raymond); Snowy River, 154 (H. P. Chanson).

Betting	Win.	Place.
A Great Time	14	33
Aztec	82	112
Brutus	18	44
Centre Court	392	252
Derby Day	197	158
Dick Turpin	55	64
Discovery Bay	70	93
Katinka	148	194
Lucky Lad	1,084*	802
Rex	73	130
Snowy River	82	118
Vixen Tor	1,376	1,088
Total	3,591	3,088

7.—Nanling Stakes (Half A Mile)

Mr. Early Bird's Split Hand, 158 lbs. (Mr. Ip Kui-ying) 1
Mr. J. Lo's Lancashire Chap, 155 lbs. (Mr. L. B. Chao) 2
Mr. S.L.K.'s Sahara Star, 156 lbs. (Mr. B. A. Proulx) 3

Won by a length, the same between second and third.
Time: 1.01.2.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $45.
Places: $14.30, $17.20, $15.
Also ran:—Be Yourself, 152 (W. C. Poy); Captain Blood, 158 (D. Black); Cleeve, 155 (A. F. D. Colson); Labour Day (Y. T. Fung); Lucky Seven, 155 (S. L. Yuen); Mongolian Cat, 155 (S. C. Liang); Palmer, 158 (H. P. Chanson); Rexiana, 158 (Tang Man-wa); Stymie, 152 (A. W. Raymond); Wenning, 161 (J. F. C. Van Reede).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Be Yourself	113	207
Captain Blood	57	62
Cleeve	27	40
Labour Day	112	79
Lancashire Chap	249	203
Lucky Seven	70	58
Mac's Second Venture	795	712
Mongolian Cat	200	159
Palmer	256	209
Rexiana	5	8
Sahara Star	268	247
Split Hand	260	266
Stymie	257	223
Wenning	21	27
Total	2,690	2,500

8—West River Handicap—"C" Class (From the 2 Mile Post Once Round and In)

Mr. Eu Tong-sen's Smiling Thru, 158 lbs. (Mr. B. L. Tao) 1
Mr. L. Dunbar's Tampa Bay, (Mr. D. Black) 2
Mr. T.K.L.'s Soldier of China, 161 lbs. (Mr. S. W. Tang) 3

Won by two lengths, many lengths between second and third.
Time: 2.18.3.
Pari-mutuel:—
Win: $20.70.
Places: $8.50, $38.70, $8.80.
Also ran:—Bistre, 165 lbs. (L. B. Chao); Gordito, 140 (S. L. Yuen); Laughing Buddha, 158 (F. F. Li); National Defence, 151 (H. P. Chanson); Night View, 158 (H. C. Pih); Royal Highness, 144 (B. A. Proulx); Sunlight View, 158 (W. H. Choy).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Bistre	160	129
Gordito	20	39
Laughing Buddha	385	350
National Defence	302	234
Night View	579	510
Royal Highness	288	205
Smiling Thru	722	553
Soldier of China	855	519
Sunlight View	11	15
Tampa Bay	65	58
Total	3,387	2,612

9.—Peiho Handicap—"D" Class (From the 1½ Mile Post)

Mr. L. J. A. Fielden's Estover, 156 lbs. (Mr. L. J. A. Fielden) 1
Mr. J. M. Smith's Meteor, 150 lbs. (Mr. A. W. Raymond) 2
Mr. Lan's Tabby Cat, 159 lbs. (Mr. H. C. Pih) 3
*Dr. Lee Shiu Kee's Atomic Star, 153 lbs. (Mr. S. N. Pan) 3

Won by a length, the same between second and third.
*Dead Heat.
Time: 1.13.2.
Win: $163.30.
Places: $27.80, $18.70, $11.70 and $39.40.
Also ran:—Astrix, 140 lbs. (C. L. Gregory); Cape Comorin, 150 (F. F. Li); Diogenes, 151 (S. W. Tang); Double Chance, 142 (K. I. Yip); Ebony Idol, 148 (B. A. Proulx); Flybynight, 153 (A. F. Ingram); Good Morning, 152 (S. L. Yuen); Merry Doer, 156 (B. L. Tao); National Dignity, 147 (H. P. Chanson); Racing Boy, 153 (S. C. Liang); Sea Dragon, 140 (Y. T. Fung); Tempest, 152 (L. B. Chao); Tribute, 147 (A. F. D. Colson); Yum Sing, 140 (W. C. Poy).

Betting	Win.	Place.
Astrix	16	32
Atomic Star	26	38
Cape Comorin	19	31
Diogenes	615	299
Double Chance	12	15
Ebony Idol	405	282
Estover	92	115
Flybynight	24	25
Good Morning	183	110
Merry Doer	36	52
Meteor	286	191
National Dignity	90	101
Racing Boy	1,119	729
Sea Dragon	12	25
Tabby Cat	334	195
Tempest	86	54
Tribute	49	50
Yum Sing	23	48
Total	3,407	2,392

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RACE 1

No. 188 ..... $1,483.02
„ 2905 ..... 423.72
„ 36 ..... 211.86

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RACE 2

No. 2569 ..... $1,578.36
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„ 3150 ..... 225.48

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RACE 3

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„ 2075 ..... 218.40

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RACE 4

No. 1128 ..... $1,530.20
„ 1977 ..... 437.20
„ 3471 ..... 218.80

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„ 1976 ..... 249.00

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RACE 8

No. 2267 ..... $1,883.00
„ 2452 ..... 538.00
„ 2818 ..... 269.00

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 3956, 803, 3666, 1256, 801, 359, 1381 get $50 each.

RACE 9

No. 3653 ..... $3,339.84
„ 3181 ..... 954.24
„ 2584 ..... 238.56*
„ 1511 ..... 238.56*

*—Dead Heat.

Unplaced Tickets Nos. 906, 1466, 907, 1421, 1906, 3382, 2317, 3054, 936, 3284, 524, 456, 3958, 681 get $100 each.

INDIANS BEAT VOLUNTEERS

Keen Baseball At Caroline Hill

Better fielding and more consistent pitching brought the Indian Baseball Club home after a close fight with the Volunteers at Caroline Hill on Saturday.

The losers had the superior hitting side on paper but their batters were inconsistent and it was not till after the Indians had established a good lead that they really got going.

The game had a keen finish, for, with the Indians in the seemingly unassailable position 5-2 up in the last inning, the Volunteers rallied, bringing two men across the plate, before Loong was out in trying to steal second base.

Base on balls:—Bowen 7, Leonard

Score by innings:—

Indians							
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	
1	0	3	0	0	0	1	=5 runs
1	0	0	0	0	0	1	=2 hits.

Volunteers							
1	0	1	0	0	0	2	=4 runs
0	1	1	1	0	1	2	=6 hits.

SAIGON FOOTBALL XI'S RECORD LOWERED

South China Win Fine Game By 3-2 After Trailing

PACKED STANDS THRILLED BY EXCITING PLAY

Tremendous enthusiasm was shown by the crowds in the packed stands on the Navy Football Ground at Causeway Bay on Saturday when South China Athletic Association at last spoiled the fine record of the touring Saigon Footballers by beating them by 3-2 after the visitors had twice led.

The game was one of the best and most exciting seen locally for some long time, as well as being an eagerly-awaited affair. Played throughout in a fine spirit, there was nevertheless something of a dog-fight atmosphere about it, for South China had an old score to settle.

It will be recalled that when the two teams met a week ago, in the visitors' first game here, little was known of them and the Chinese side approached the match in a light-hearted manner, only to be held to a draw of one-all, after a game in which they were shown a number of pointers and from which they were, in fact, somewhat fortunate to emerge with a share of the honours.

This time they turned out one of their very strongest teams, took no chances whatever, and even then had their hands full for the best part of the game. Actually, had it not been for the fact that the visitors made two changes from the side that did so well last week, changes one of which at least was not successful, the result would probably have been another shock for the Chinese supporters.

THE PLAY

The game started off at a great pace, both goals being visited in turn early on. Within ten minutes Saigon were one up when Quang converted a corner kick. Rattled, the Chinese forwards dropped out of the picture for some time and the defence were called upon to stem the tide while the vanguard were recovering. This Lee Tin-sang and Company did right well.

Then Funk King-cheung indulged in a fine bit of constructive were recovering. This Lee Tin-fai beating Tinh with a good shot to equalise.

Their satisfaction was short-lived, however, for, five minutes later Saigon were ahead again when Buu sent in a hard ground shot. Thus the teams crossed over.

CHINA TAKES UP RUNNING

Benefiting from the interval, South China now took up the running, and Chan Tak-fai and Fung King-cheung were associated in many nice movements. It came as no surprise when Lee Shek-yau levelled the scores, and a little later Fung King-cheung scored what was to prove the winning goal.

Saigon were still full of life, however, and in the last few minutes of the game thrills aplenty were provided by the work of Buu and Quang, who took the ball downfield time after time, but lack of support nullified these attempts.

South China A.A.:—Tam Kwan-kon; Mak Shui-hon and Lee Tin-iang; Leung Wing-chiu, Lau Hing-choi and Tse Kam-hung; Yeung Shui-yick, Fung King-cheung, Chan Tak-fai, Lai Shiu-wing and Lee Shek-yau.

Saigon:—Tinh; Duoc and Cui; Ven, Buu and Paccini; Guichard, Van, Tot, Quang and Dai.

As a mark of respect to the memory of the late Mr. Tsang Iu-ting, past President and Vice-President of South China the players wore black bands on their left arms and, before the game began, stood for two minutes in silence in the centre of the field.

SAIGON XI'S RECORD

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Drew with S. China A.A.	1—1
Beat H.K.F. Association	4—0
Beat Royal Navy	6—2
Beat The Army	3—0
Lost to South China A.A.	2—3

Sporting Fixtures

TODAY

Bowls.—Open Pairs Championship (First Round):—Club de Recreio: M. Y. Adal and A. R. Dallah v. E. W. Lines and R. Duncan, A. T. Lay and A. Hyde-Lay v. F. Booker and R. Ellis, J. M. Jack and V. C. Labrum v. V. Petherick and T. Ferguson, J. Orem and W. Mair v. L. Jack and A. A. Dand. Civil Service: L. de Romc and G. T. Padgett v. A. Baker and A. K. Minu, W. Gill and G. Duncan v. R. Edwards and G. Perkins, W. Bagley and A. E. S. Alves v. A. E. Coates and R. Basa, D. M. Khan and M. R. Abbas v. A. J. Coelho and J. Pau.

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LAWN BOWLS FIXTURES CURTAILED BY RAIN

Police Score Surprise Win Over Kowloon C.C.

The heavy rain on Friday was responsible for the curtailment of the larger part of Saturday's bowls league programme and the only thing of interest was the somewhat unexpected defeat of Kowloon Cricket Club by the Police in the first division.

The leading teams, Craigengower Cricket Club and the Indian Recreation Club, which were to have clashed at Sookunpoo, were forced to postpone their meeting as the Indians' green was found to be too sodden for play.

In the second division, Club de Recreio managed to beat the Bowling Green despite the fact that they were down on two rinks, this being due to the fine win of F.X. Soares' rink over J.S. Logan's.

K.C.C. LOSE AT HOME

At K.C.C., Police Recreation Club beat Kowloon Cricket Club by 5 shots.

K.C.C.:—A. E. Silkstone, T. A. Madar, H. Overy, E. C. Fincher (skip) 15; G. Lee, L. Jack, A. W. Smith, J. Hyde (skip) 17; W. Mulcahy, J. M. Brown, R. Craig, E. Kern (skip) 23. Total: 55.

P.R.C.:—W. Cameron, W. Fender, J. Orem, W. Mair, (skip) 14; W. Campbell, W. McHardy, W. E. Hollands, J. Shepherd (skip) 21; W. McLeod, C. Dowman, G. Perkins, E. G. Post (skip) 25. Total: 60.

RECREIO BEAT K.B.G.C.

At King's Park, Club de Recreio beat Kowloon Bowling Green Club by 5 shots.

Recreio:—J. E. Noronha, C. E. Marques, C. G. Silva, F. X. M. Silva (skip) 27; L. F. Xavier, D. C. Alves, F. V. Ribeiro, R. F. Luz (skip) 26; J. Luz, J. F. Ribeiro, A. A. Remedios, H. Alves (skip) 9. Total: 62.

K.B.G.C.:—A. J. Hall, G. E. F. Thompson, T. Armstrong, L. Guy (skip) 19; R. Philips, A. Macfarlane, C. B. Hosking, E. W. Lines (skip) 17; J. Watson, S. M. White, A Hyde-Lay, R. Duncan (skip) 21. Total: 57.

RECREIO BEAT K.B.G.C.

At Austin Road, Kowloon Bowling Green Club, lost to Club de Recreio by 4 shots.

K.B.G.C.:—H. L. Lockhart, H. E. Drew, F. A. Cheesman, J. S. Logan (skip) 10; E. V. Searle, E. A. Atkins, G. C. Norman, J. G. Meyer (skip) 21; A. Macintyre, J. Watson, D. W. Waterton, W. S. Drake (skip) 21. Total: 52.

Recreio:—L. A. Gutierrez, A. V. Barros, L. J. Silva, F. X. Soares (skip) 29; C. C. Pereira, F. A. Xavier, A. P. Guterres, B. Basto (skip) 12; F. A. Machado, C. A. Lopes, C. H. Basto, J. J. Basto (skip) 15. Total: 56.

K.C.C. TROUNCE RECREIO

At King's Park, Kowloon Cricket Club beat Club de Recreio by 19 shots.

Recreio:—Q. H. Figueido, A. M. Rodrigues, H. A. Botelho, J. M. S. Rozario (skip) 13; T. Baptista, J. Sequeira, O. P. Remedios, C. Rosa-Pereira (skip) 12; M. Mendonca, A. M. Xavier, M. A. Carvalho, P. A. Yvanovitch (skip) 32. Total: 57.

K.C.C.:—A. A. Dane, C. J. Tacchi, R. Marks, H. Nish (skip) 26; V. C. Labrum, W. T. French, J. M. Jack, T. Carr (skip) 34; A. J. Kew, A. E. Perry, A. W. Ramsey, W. W. Hirst (skip) 16. Total: 76.

FIRST DIVISION

Kowloon C.C.	(50) 55	Police R.C.	(45) 60
Club de Recreio	(58) 62	Kowloon B.G.C.	(57) 57

SECOND DIVISION

Kowloon B.G.C.	(63) 52	Club de Recreio	(65) 56

THIRD DIVISION

Club de Recreio	(—) 57	Kowloon C.C.	(—) 76

Figures in brackets denote scores in corresponding game last year.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Shots For	Shots Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.
Craigengower C.C.	3	3	0	0	221	142	79	0	6
Indian R.C.	3	3	0	0	193	155	38	0	6
Kowloon C.C.	4	2	2	0	239	227	12	0	4
Club de Recreio	4	2	2	0	218	223	0	5	4
Police R.C.	4	2	2	0	222	260	0	38	4
Kowloon Dock R.C.	3	1	2	0	168	171	0	3	2
Kowloon B.G.C.	4	1	3	0	211	229	0	18	2
Civil Service C.C.	3	0	3	0	122	187	0	65	0
Totals	28	14	14	0	1594	1594	129	129	28

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Shots For	Shots Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.
Football Club "A"	3	2	1	0	207	152	55	0	4
Craigengower C.C.	3	2	1	0	200	169	31	0	4
Police R.C.	3	2	1	0	192	172	20	0	4
Club de Recreio	4	2	2	0	230	223	7	0	4
Kowloon B.G.C.	4	2	2	0	238	238	0	0	4
Taikoo Dock R.C.	3	1	2	0	173	191	0	18	2
Civil Service C.C.	3	1	2	0	173	194	0	21	2
Football Club "B"	3	1	2	0	141	215	0	74	2
Totals	26	13	13	0	1554	1554	113	113	26

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Shots For	Shots Agst.	Up	Down	Pts.
Kowloon F.C.	3	3	0	0	177	155	22	0	6
H.K. Electric R.C.	3	2	1	0	193	159	34	0	4
Kowloon Tong G.C.A.	3	2	1	0	187	164	23	0	4
Football Club	3	2	1	0	165	185	0	20	4
Kowloon C.C.	4	2	2	0	251	212	39	0	4
Craigengower C.C.	3	1	2	0	149	156	0	7	2
Club de Recreio	4	1	3	0	214	261	0	47	2
R.H.K. Yacht Club	3	0	3	0	149	193	0	44	0
Totals	26	13	13	0	1485	1485	118	118	26

DAVIS CUP TENNIS

EUROPEAN ZONE MATCHES IN PLAY

Oslo, May 21.

The Davis Cup contest between Norway and Germany began here yesterday, Germany taking a 2-0 lead.

The first match, between Haanes, Norway, and Georg von Metaxa, Germany, almost resulted in the defeat of the German. The Norwegian won the first two sets with astonishing rapidity at 6-2, 7-5. Then, however, Metaxa, got into his stride and levelled the match at 6-2, 6-3.

In the fifth and deciding set the German was leading 5-3, but Haanes levelled at 5-all, only for the German to go out at 7-5.

In the second match of the day, the German champion, Henner Henkel, playing against the Norwegian Jenssen had an easy win 6-0, 6-0, 6-1.—(Transocean).

K.C.C. TENNIS RESULTS

The following are latest results of matches played in the tennis tournaments organised by the Kowloon Cricket Club:—

Men's Junior Singles Championship

W. M. Gittins beat A. Duncan 6-1, 4-6, 6-1, 6-2.

Singles Handicap "B"

J. R. Luke (—3/6) beat R. S. Capell (—30) 6-4, 6-2.

B. D. Lay (—3/6) beat L. W. Hume (3/6) 6-3, 6-1.

STOCKHOLM MATCH

Stockholm, May 21.

Sweden and Switzerland were level on points at the end of the first day of their Davis Cup tie.

Karl Schroeder (Sweden) beat Fisher 8-6, 6-2 and 6-0, and Maneff (Switzerland) defeated Rohlsson by 6-1, 6-4, 2-6, 6-1.

Persistent rain at Milan yesterday caused postponement of play in the tie between Italy and Poland to today.—(Transocean).

LONDON GAZETTE

(Continued from Page 4)

Dorset R.—Capt. and Bt. Maj. H. L. Longden is restd. to the estabt. (April 12).

Camerons.—Capt. V.D. G. Campbell is restd. to the estabt. (March 30).

Hong Kong-Singapore Royal Artillery.—Jemadar Mit Singh retires on ret. pay (April 19); Havildar Maj. Charan Singh to be Jemadar (April 19).

ROYAL ARMY MEDICAL CORPS

Sgt.-Maj. W. E. Conway, M.M., to be Lt. (Qr.-Mr.) (May 12).

The folig. Lts. to be Capts.:—J. G. M. A. Brunet (Jan. 4. 1936), with seny. Jan. 4. 1935; R. J. Niven, M.B. (April 1), with seny. April 1, 1937; E. Gareh (April 23), with seny. March 15 (substituted for the notifns. in the Gazettes of Nov. 30, 1937, April 29, and May 3 respectively).

ROYAL ARMY PAY CORPS

Maj. and Staff Paymr. R. H. Smyth, M.C., to be Lt.-Col. (May 12).

THE ARMY DENTAL CORPS

Short Service Commission.—The folig. to be Lts. (on prob.) (April 25):—J. H. French, G. Sperryn-Jones.

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Staff Nurse Miss E. M. Wilson resigns her appt. (May 5).

The folig. Provl. Staff Nurses are confirmed in their appts.:—Miss A. W. Elwood, Miss L. M. Tibbs.

ESTABLISHMENT

R. Army Medical Coll.—Lt.-Col. (now Col.) C. M. Finny, O.B.E., M.B., F.R.C.S., late R.A.M.C., relinquishes the appt. of Asst. Professor of Mil. Surgery (May 1); Lt.-Col. D. C. Monro, M.B., F.R.C.S. Edin., to be Asst. Professor of Mil. Surgery (May 1).

MEMORANDUM

Maj. Hon. W. S. P. Alexander, D.S.O., h.p., late I. G'ds., retires on ret. pay (May 14).

Mr. Kenneth Keen has been appointed Chief Assistant to the Secretary for Chinese Affairs.

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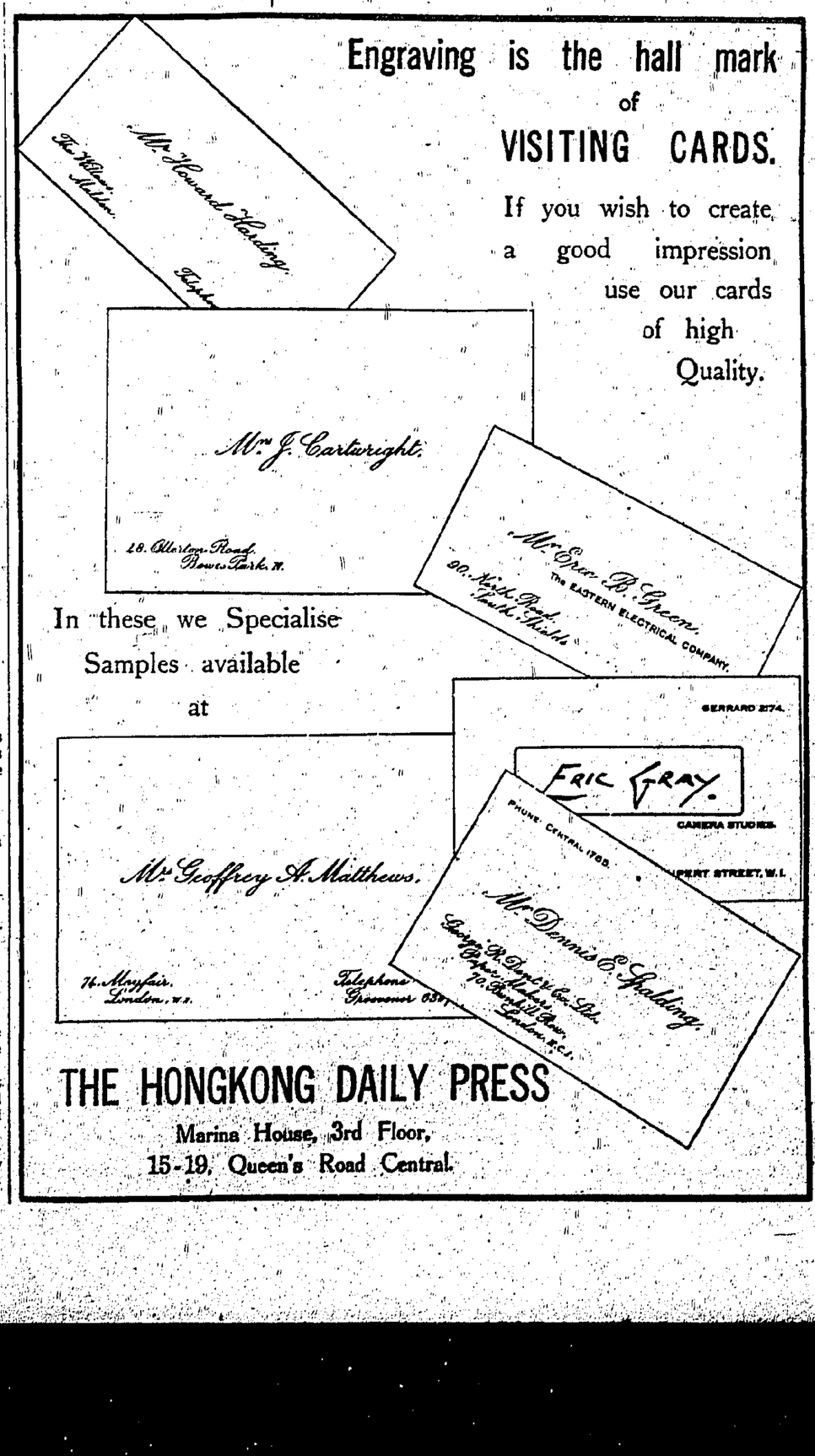

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...	...	...	$23½	Steamboats	...	...	...	$22½
...	...	...	160	Indo-Chinas (prof.)	...	...	...	$51
...	...	...	124	Do. (def.)	...	...	...	$24
...	...	...	$82/6	Shells	...	...	...	82/6
...	...	...	$6.90	Waterboats	$3.95	...	...	
				Mining				
...	...	...	14/8	Kailans	...	...	...	$15/-
...	...	...	....	Raubs	...	...	...	$9.80
$9.00	...	...		Venezuela Gold Fld.	...	...	...	$2½
$2.60	...	...		Hongkong Mines	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	1 ¼cts.	**Docks, Wharves, Godowns, etc.**				
...	...	$137½	...	H.K. & K. Wharves	...	...	$137½	
...	...	$3.60	...	Providents (old)	...	...	3.65/70	...
$3.60	...	3.50/65		Do. (new)	...	...	3.50/60	
$3½	...	ex rts.	$21½	H.K. & W. Docks	...	...	...	$21½
...	...	...	$21	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$21
...	...	...	$11	Do. (rts.)	...	...	...	$10½
...	...	...	$106	Shanghai Docks S.	...	...	...	$100
...	...	...	$4.05	New Engineerings S.	...	...	...	$4
				Lands, Hotels, and Buildings				
$6.80	...	6.75/90	$37	H.K. Hotels	$6.80	...	$6¾/80	...
...	...	...		H.K. Lands S.	$36	...	...	...
$101	...	...	$9	Do. 4% Debentures	...	...	...	$102
...	...	...	...	Shanghai Lands S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5¼	Metropolitan Lands	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$9.15	H.K. Realties	...	...	...	$5¼
...	...	...	$100	Humphreys	$8.80	...	...	...
				Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
				Cotton Mills				
...	...	...	$13.40	Ewos S.	...	...	...	$13½
...	...	...	$78	S'hai Cottons S.	...	...	...	$70
...	...	...	....	Zoong Sings S.	...	...	...	$24
...	...	...	$45	Wing On Textiles S.	...	...	...	$16
...	...	...	...	Ewo Cotton Rts. S.	...	...	...	...
				Public Utilities				
...	...	'17	...	Tramways	...	...	17,17.0	5 ...
$7	...	...	...	Peak Trams (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$3½	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$3½
...	...	...	$86½	Star Ferries	...	...	...	$86
...	...	...	$24½	Kimati Ferries CR. $	...	...	...	$24½
...	...	...	$3	Do. rts. $	...	...	...	$3
...	$11½	11.60/7.0	...	China Lights (old)	...	...	$11.70	$8½
...	...	...	$9.20	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
				Do. Rts.	...	...	...	...
$59½	...	$60	...	H.K. Electrics	...	...	$60	...
$17½*	...	...	...	Macao do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$14½	Sandakan Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$28	Telephones (old)	...	...	...	$27½
...	...	...	$10.90	Do. (new)	...	...	...	$10.90
...	...	...	23/6	Tractions	...	...	...	22/6
...	...	...	23/6	Do. (prof.)	...	...	...	...
				Industrials				
...	...	...	$14½	Cald., Macg. (Ord.)	$	...	...	...
...	...	...	$12½	Do. (Pref.)	$	...	...	...
...	...	...	$1.70	Canton Ices	$1.20	...	...	...
$17.30	...	...	...	Cements	...	...	$17.35	...
...	...	...	$4.70	Ropes	...	...	...	$4½
				Miscellaneous				
...	...	...	$24½	Dairy Farms	...	...	...	$25
...	...	...	$6.60	Ch. E'tainments	...	...	...	6½
$1½	...	...	...	Constructions, (old	$1½	...	...	...
...	...	...		Do. (new	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$9½	Lane Crawfords	...	...	CD	$9.10
...	...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	$2.20	Sincere	...	...	...	$2.60
...	...	...	$6½	Watsons	...	...	...	$6½
...	...	...	...	S. C. Enterprises	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	75%	Cu.G. 5%1929	G.$	Bds.	...	75%
...	...	...	6%pm.	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	...	...	...	$106
...	...	...	2%pm	Do. 3½%	...	...	...	$102
...	...	...	...	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	$60	H.K Wing On	152	...	...	...
...	...	...	...	S'hai Do.	760	...	...	...
...	...	...	$5½	Vibro Piling	...	...	...	$5
...	...	...	10/6	Marsmans Inv. (Lon.)	...	...	...	...
				(H.K.)	...	...	...	...
3/10	...	...	75 cts	Wm. Powells	...	...	...	70 cts.

*Sales to Shanghai

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(British Wireless Service)

	May 19	May 21
Paris	177-39/64	177-39/64
Geneva	21.73	21.74½
Berlin	12.36½	12.36½
Athens		
Milan	94⅜	94⅜
Copenhagen		
Stockholm		
Shanghai	11d	
New York	4.96-5/8	4.96-5/16
Amsterdam	8.97-13/16	8.97½
Vienna		
Prague	142-9/16	142½
Helsingfors		226¾
Lisbon		
Hong Kong		
Bombay	1/5-20/32	
Montreal	5.0¼	5.00¼
Brussels	29.50½	29.50
Yokohama		
Sellers		
Buenosaires		
Monte Video		
Rio		
Silver (Forward)	18-7/16	18⅛
Silver (Spot)	18-11/16	18⅛
War Loan	3½% 101-3/16.	

Closing Quotations

May 21, 1938.

On London:—
Telegraphic Transfer... 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand 13/16
Credits, 4 months' sight 1/3-1/16

On Shanghai:—
On demand ... 125

On Singapore:—
On demand ... 53⅛

On Japan:—
On demand ... 105¼

On India:—
Telegraphic Transfer... 81¼
Bank, on demand ...

On New York:—
Bank Bills, on demand 30⅜
Credits, 60 days' sight 66-5/16

On Batavia:—
On demand ... 65-5/16

On Paris:—
Bank Bills, on demand 1,685
Credits, 4 months' sight 1,170

On Saigon:—
On demand ... 107¼

On Manila:—
On demand ... 61¼

On Bangkok:—
On demand ... 150¼

Sovereign Notes
Bank Buying Rate... 1/3

Bar Silver, per oz. ... 18⅛

H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

SATURDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The morning's session was quiet with only a small turnover.

As from today the peg has been taken off Manila quotations.

BUYERS

H.K. Bank, $1500.
H.K. Bank (Lon), £91½.
Union Insurance, $518.
Providents (Old), $3.60.
Providents (New), $3½.
Raubs, $9.90.
Vens. Goldfield, $2.60.
H. & S. Hotels, $6.80.
H.K. Lands, 4% deb. $101.
Peak Trams (Old), $7.
H.K. Electrics, $59½.
Macao Electrics, $17½.
Cements, $17.30.
Constructions, $1½.
Marsmans (H.K.), 3/10.

SELLERS

China Lights (Old), $11½.

SALES

H.K. Bank, $1510.
H.K. & K. Wharves, 137½.
Providents (Old), $3.60.
Providents (New), 3.50/55.
H. & S. Hotels, $6.75/90.
H.K. Tramways, $17.
China Lights (Old), $11.60/70.
H.K. Electrics, $60.

(Prices below in Phil. (Currency)
Atoks, .25
Benguet Consol., P.20
Coco Grove, .49
I.X.L., .61
San Mauricio, .45½
Suyoc Consol., .16

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. ROZA BROS.

Silver prices rose 1/16 yesterday for both deliveries, the quotations being 18 3/4 for Ready and 18 1/2 for Forward. Silver advices reported speculators as having operated both ways. India bought. The market closed with sellers at the quoted rate. Buyers bid 1/16 under. American Silver was quoted at 42 3/4 for Spot.

The London/New York cross-rate was quoted at 496.81. New York/London quoted at 496. 13/16.

MARKET

Featureless.

STERLING

There were sellers at 1/2 7/8 May/July and 1/2 27/32 August/September, buyers at 1/2 15/16 Cash/May, 1/2 29/32 June/July, and 1/2 7/8 August/September.

U.S. DOLLARS

The market closed with sellers at 30 13/16 May/June and 30 3/4 July/August, buyers at 30 7/8 May/June and 30 13/16 July/August.

SHANGHAI DOLLARS

Nominal.

SHANGHAI MARKET

Nominal.

FASTER AIR MAIL DELIVERY

Speed Boats To Be Used

It is reliably learned that the delay regarding air mail deliveries in Hong Kong, based on the lapse of time between the arrival of the mail-carrying plane in the Colony and delivery at local offices, may be remedied in the near future.

The proposal now under consideration envisages the provision of a fast launch which will be on hand at Kai Tack awaiting the arrival of the Imperial Airways, Clipper, or whatever machine it may be, pick up the mails and speed for Blake Pier within a few minutes of arrival.

The launch, it is understood, will be capable of 25 to 30 knots, fitting the mood that the trouble involved in bringing mails to Hong Kong from London or San Francisco to Hong Kong in five or six days justifies action at this end.

REICHSMARK QUOTATIONS

Berlin, May 21.

The Reichsmark was quoted, without guarantee, at:—
New York, 40.175.
Paris, 1,436.
Amsterdam, 72.58.
London, 12,365.
Paris Sterling, 177.57 to 177.62.—(Transocean).

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuter's Service)

QUOTATIONS

New York: May 21.

	High	Low	Last Close	Today's Close	Change
New York Cotton—July.	8.60	8.52	8.53	8.52	.01 off
New York Rubber—July.	11.31	11.20	11.36 b	11.31b	.16 off
Chicago Wheat —July.	76⅛	75⅞	75⅞	76⅛	3/4 up
Chicago Corn —July.	59⅛	58⅝	59⅛	58⅜	1/4 off
Winnipeg Wheat—July.	105	103¼	103	104⅜	1⅛ up

1938 High	Low	Dow Jones Averages	May 18. High	Low	Close	Chang
134.95	98.96	30 Industrials	114.99	114.40	113.97	113.93	1.74 off
32.77	19.00	20 Rails	21.90	21.84	21.72	21.76	.15 off
22.20	15.14	20 Utilities	19.15	19.41	18.95	19.04	.11 off
93.70	83.39	40 Bonds	87.19			86.96	.23 off
54.92	47.18	11 Commodity Index	47.18			47.26	.08 up

Business Done:—290,000 shares.

STOCKS	Last Sale May 20	21
Adams Express	8⅜	8½
Alleghany Steel Co.	14½*	14½
Allis Chalmers	42⅞	41⅞
Amer. Can	87	85½*
Amer. Cynamid "B"	17⅛	17½
Amer. & For. Power	3⅛	3⅛
Amer. & For. $7 pf.	18⅛	18⅛
Amer. Locomotive	16⅛	15⅝
Amer. Metals	29	28½
Amer. Radiator	10⅛	10⅛
Amer. Rolling Mill	15⅛	15⅛
Amer. Smelting	35½	34⅜
Amer. Sugar R'ing	22⅛	22½*
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	129½	129½
Amer. Tobacco "B"	70½	70*
Amer. Waterworks	9	9⅛
Anaconda Copper	25⅛	25⅛
Atchison, T. & S. Fe.	26	25⅝
Atlas Corpn.	6⅛	6½
Auburn Motors	3½*	3⅛
Baltimore & Ohio	5⅛	5⅛
B'more & Ohio Pfd.	6⅞	6⅞
Barber & Co.	15½	15½
Barnsdall Oil	12⅞	12⅝
Bethlehem Steel	46⅜	44½
Boeing Airplane Co.	24⅛	23½
Borden Co.	15⅞	15⅝
Borg-Warner	19⅜	18½
Briggs M'facturing	17⅛	17
Brooklyn-Manhattan Trans.	8⅛	8⅜*
Brooklyn-Manhattan $6 cum. pf.	27⅛	26 *
Case, J.I.	78⅜	74½
Canadian Pacific	5⅛	5⅜
Celanese Corpn.	13⅛	12⅞
Cerro de Pasco	33⅛	33
Chesapeake Corpn.	33⅛	32⅜
Chesapeake & Ohio	26⅞	26½
Chrysler Corpn.	42⅜	41⅜
Columbia Gas & El.	6⅜	6⅜
Columbia 6% "A" pf.	65 *	67
Commercial Credit	31½	31⅜
Commercial Solvents	7	7
Commonwealth & S.	1⅜	1½
Commonwealth & S. 6% cum. pf.	42⅜	42½
Consolidated Edison	24⅜	23⅞
Consolidated Oil	8⅜	8½
Continental Can	39⅜	39½
Continental Oil	24⅜	24½
Corn. Products	63½	63½
Curtiss Wright (C.)	4⅜	4⅜
Curtiss Wright "A"	20	19⅞
Delaware & Hudson	9⅜	9⅜
Del. Lackawanna & Western	5⅛*	5⅛
Deere Co.	17⅛	16⅞
Distillers Corpn. Seagrams	13 *	12⅜*
Douglas Aircraft	45⅜	44⅜
Du Pont	100⅜	98⅛
Eagle Picher Lead	8⅜	8½
Electric Boat	8⅜	8½
Elec. Bond & Share	7⅞	7⅞
Elec. Bond & Share $5 pf.	47	48
Elec. Bond & Share $6 pf.	51⅛	51⅜
Elec. Power & Light	10⅛	10⅛
Elec. Power & Light $7 pf.	38	37⅜
Flintkote	15⅜	14⅞
Freeport Sulphur	25⅛	25½
Gen. America Trans	37⅛	37⅛
Gen. Cigar	23	22½*
Gen. Electric	34⅞	34⅜
Gen. Foods	27	27⅛
Gen. Motors	29⅜	28⅜
Gen. Railway Signal	15⅜	15
Gliddon Co.	17⅛	17 *
Godchaux Sugar Class "A"	—	—
Goodrich (B.F.)	13	12½
Goodrich $5 pf.	41	41
Goodyear Tire & Co.	17⅛	17⅛
Great Northern Rly.	15⅜	15
Great Western Sugar	26⅛	26⅜
Greyhound Corpn.	8⅜	8⅜
Hecker Products	6⅛	6⅛

STOCKS	Last Sale May 20	21
Humble Oil	63⅛	63
Int. Nickel	45⅛	44⅜
Int. Tel. & Tel.	9	8⅛
Int. Dept. Stores	8⅛	8⅜
Kennecott Copper	32	30⅜
Lambert Corpn.	10⅜	10⅜*
Libbey-Owens-Ford Glass	27⅜	27⅛
Lockheed Aircraft	9⅛	9⅛
Loew's Inc.	41	39⅜
Lorillard	16	16 *
McKesson & Robbins $3 pf.	31⅜	30⅜
Martin, Glen L.	24	23
Monsanto Chemical	74	74½
Montgomery Ward	31⅛	30⅜
Nat. Bond Investment	13 *	13⅛*
Nat. Cash Register	17⅛	17⅜
Nat. Dairy Products	13⅛	13⅜
Nat. Distillers	19⅜	19⅜
Nat. Power & Light	7⅛	7
Nat. Supply Corpn.	16⅛	15⅜
New York Central	12⅛	11⅞
Niagara Hudson P Corpn.	7⅛	7⅛
N. America Aviation	8⅛	8⅛
North America Co.	20	19⅞
Northern Pacific	8⅛	7⅞
Pacific Gas & Elec	26⅛	26⅛
Pacific Lighting	36⅛*	36⅛*
Packard Motors	3⅜	3⅜
Paramount Pictures	7⅜	7⅜
Paramount 1st. pf.	76 *	76
Pennsylvania R.R.	15⅛	15⅛
Phillips Petroleum	31⅛	31—
Public Service of N.J.	29⅛	29⅛
Pure Oil	9	8⅞
Radio Corpn. of Am.	5⅜	5⅜
Republic Steel	13⅜	13
Reynold Tobac. "B"	36⅜	36⅜
Schenley	16⅜	16⅛
Schenley 5½% pf.	67⅛*	67 *
Sears Roebuck	55⅜	54⅛
Shell Union Oil	12⅛	12⅛
Socony-Vacuum	12⅛	12⅛
Southern Cal Edison	21⅛	21⅛
Southern Pacific	11⅛	11⅛
Southern Rly. (com)	7⅜	7⅜
Southern Rly "A"	12	11⅛
Standard Brands	7⅜	7⅛
Stand Gas & Elec.	3⅛	3⅛
Stand Gas & Elec. $7 pf.	19⅛	19⅛
Standard Oil of N.J.	46⅛	46⅛
Sterling Products	60	59⅛
Studebaker Corpn.	4	4
Swift International	25⅜	25⅛*
Technicolor	23⅜	23⅛
Texas Corpn.	36⅛	35⅜
Texas Gulf Sulphur	30⅛	30⅜
Tidewater Assoc. Oil	11⅜	11⅛
Transamerica (new)	9⅛	9⅛
20th Cent. Fox. Films	22⅛	22⅛
do. Films pf.	30 *	30 *
Union Carbide & Carbon	66⅛	65⅜
Union Pacific	61	61⅛*
United Aircraft	26⅜	26⅛
United Airlines Trans	9⅛	8⅞
United Corpn.	2⅜	2⅜
United Corpn. $3 cum. pf.	29	29
United Gas Corpn.	3⅜	3⅜
Un. Gas Improvem't	10⅜	10⅜
Un. Light & power	2⅜	2⅜
U.S. In'trial Alcohol	17⅜	17
U.S. Rubber	26⅜	26
U.S. Rubber pf.	65⅛	64⅜
U.S. Smelting	55⅛	55
U.S. Steel	44⅛	42⅜
Vanadium	15 *	14⅛
Warner Bros. Pict.	4⅞	4⅞
Westinghouse Elec.	76⅛	75⅛
Woodward Iron Cor.	12⅛	12⅜
Youngstown Sheet & Tube	30⅜	29⅛
Chase National Bk.	29⅛*	29*
National City Bank	23⅛*	23*
Call Money	1%	1%

‡ ex. div. * bid.

H.K. REVENUE BUOYANT

March Figures Satisfactory

Hong Kong's revenue is still buoyant, and if it maintains its present level for the rest of the year an anticipated deficit of $3,125,000 will almost certainly become a substantial surplus.

Revenue for March totalled $2,424,661, against $2,287,000 for the corresponding period last year. Expenditure in March was $2,429,380, compared with $2,644,511 in the corresponding period last year. The actual revenue for the first three months of the year now totals $8,851,251, which is $1,449,579 more than was collected in the first quarter of 1937. Expenditure in the same period was $7,950,302, compared with $7,421,648 in the first quarter of 1937.

Principal increases in revenue in March were Licences and Internal Revenue, the Post Office and the Kowloon-Canton Railway.

Heavy increases in expenditure were shown by the Harbour Department, which expended $120,908 in March this year compared with $63,955 in the corresponding month last year; the Medical Department which expended $221,951 compared with $167,549 and the Police Department, which expended $307,538 compared with $283,888.

The Colony's credit balance on March 31 was $14,903,227; the highest it has been for several years.

BANKS

HONG KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

Authorised Capital $50,000,000
Issued & Fully Paid-Up $20,000,000
Reserve Funds:—
Sterling ..... £ 6,500,000
H.K. Currency Reserve $10,000,000
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Hong Kong, 2nd May, 1938.

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For the Hong Kong & Shanghai Banking Corporation.
D. C. Edmondston, Esq.,
Acting Chief Manager.

Hong Kong, 2nd May, 1938.

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CANTON	LUMPUR	SOURABAYA
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PHILIPPINE MINING NEWS

SURIGAO CONSOLIDATED announces that its production for the month of April was P37,523.

MINERAL RESOURCES reported that 2,629 tons of ore were milled during the month of April from which P25,760.28 was recovered.

TWIN RIVER Placer Mining Company has reported that the April production is valued at P35,476.20 instead of P38,139.05 as there was a mistake in the computation of results.

GOLCONDA MINING Company, Inc. has received information from its field manager at Burgos, Ilocos Norte, stating that a new lens of chromite which promises to be larger than any previously discovered in the mines has been reported opened on the Silverking claim in Burgos.

It is reported that approximately 1,000 tons of chromite have already been removed from this claim by the laborers.

SWATOW CHINESE IN FIGHT

Ten Swatow Chinese were brought before Mr. R. Edwards at Central Court on Saturday charged with disorderly conduct by fighting in Connaught Road Cental, near the Douglas Wharf.

Det.-Sergeant D. Davies said that a free-for-all fight started when a party of coolies from Kowloon tried to get an assignment on which the island coolies were engaged.

Iron rods, bamboos, and iron tubing of about five feet in length were brought into court. They were picked up at the scene after the the fight.

Six of the men were sentenced to three months' hard labour and were recommended for banishment. Each of these had a previous conviction. Three were fined $20 or one month's hard labour and one was found not guilty and discharged.

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London Relays

12 to 12.20 p.m. Relay of Service of Intercession from St. John's Cathedral.

12.30 p.m. Lucienne Boyer (Soprano) And The Orchestre Raymonde.

Careless Rapture — Selection (Ivor Novello) — Orchestre. La Barque D'Yves (J.H. Tranchant)—Lucienne Boyer. Solitude (Laurent and Carcel)—Lucienne Boyer. A Musical Snuff Box (Liadow) Parade Of The City Guards (Jessel)—Orchestre. Dancing With My Darling (From "Continental Varieties") This Is The Kiss Of Romance (From "Continental Varieties")—Lucienne Boyer. Tritsch, Tratsch—Polka (J. Strauss) The Grand Duchess—Galop (Offenbach)—Orchestre.

1 p.m. Local Time Signal and Weather Report.

1.03 p.m. Roy Fox And His Orchestra.

Don't Ever Change—Fox-Trot (From "Rhythm In The Clouds") You're A Sweetheart Fox-Trot (From the Film). My First Love Song—Waltz (From "Queen Of Hearts"). Souvenir Of Love—Fox-Trot (From "Sailing Along") Trusting My Luck—Fox-Trot (From "Sailing Along"). The Cross-Eyed Cowboy on the Cross-Eyed Horse—Fox-Trot Silvery Moon And Golden Sands—Fox-Trot. But Where Are You—Fox-Trot (From "Follow The Fleet") Let's Face The Music And Dance (From "Follow The Fleet").

1.30 p.m. Reuter and Rugby Press, Weather Forecast and Announcements.

1.40 p.m. Variety Programme.

Chorus and Orch.—Snaw White And The Seven Dwarfs (Vocal Gems from the Walt Disney Film)—Chorus and Orchestra directed by Jay Wilbur. Two Pianos—Passepied (Intro: Scherzo from "Sylvia") Destiny—Waltz (Baynes—Arr. Alleyne—Leonhardt)—Alleyne and Leonhardt on two pianos. Orch. with Organ—Lulworth Cove (Shadwell) Seville ("Cities of Romance"—Haydn Wood)—The B.B.C. Variety Orchestra Conductor: Charles Shadwell with Reginald Foort at the B.B.C. Theatre Organ. Humorous—Music Grub—Murgatroyd and Winterbottom (Two minds with not a single thought) With Monte Crick at the Piano. Organ—Medley—Robinson Cleaver at the Organ of the Regal Cinema, Bexley Heath. Vocal—The Whiffenpoof Song (Minnigerode, Pomeroy and Galloway)—Rudy Vallee and Male Quartette with Carroll Gibbons and His Orch. (Pianist: Daniel Eliot).

2.15 p.m. Close Down.

6 p.m. Relay of the Dance Orchestra from the Roof Garden of the Hong Kong Hotel.

(a) Delyse (b) At the close of a long long day (c) Our little girl (d) When I grow too old to dream.

6.14 p.m. Recored:—Supposing—Fox-Trot Sarah, The Sergeant Major's Daughter—Six-Eight—Max Murray and His Music Makers with vocal refrain. Moonlight, Dancing And You—Waltz—Mantovani and His Tipica Orchestra At the San Marco Restaurant London with vocal chorus.

6.21 p.m. (a) You're Laughing at me (b) The Donkey Serenade (c) You can't run away from Love (d) Yours and Mine.

6.35 p.m. Recorded:—Don't play with fire—Tango Fox-Trot My Little Buckaroo—Fox-Trot (From "Strange Laws")—Bert Firman and His Orchestra with vocal refrain. Alone At A Table For Two—Fox-Trot—The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra directed by Henry Hall with Vocal Chorus.

6.44 p.m. (a) Japanese Sandman (b) Okay Baby (c) Cotton (d) Sweet Georgia Brown.

7 p.m. London Relay—"Topical Gazette."

A fortnightly review of things at Home. Presented by Pascoe Thornton.

7.30 p.m. Closing local Stock Quotations.

7.32 p.m. Harold Ramsay (Organ), Kitty Masters And Turner Layton.

When The Harvest Moon Is Shining (Wilfred and Swaine)—Turner Layton. Six Great Melodies—Harold Ramsay at the Wurlitzer Organ of the Regal Cinema, Kingston. When The Swallows Nest Again (Stevens and Edmund) Sweetheart, Let's Grow Old Together (Bratton and Edwards)—Kitty Masters. September In The Rain (From "Melody For Two") Old Plantation—Turner Layton. Popular Melodies—Harold Ramsay at the Wurlitzer Organ of the Regal Cinema, Kingston.

8 p.m. Local Time Signal, Weather Report and Announcements.

8.03 p.m. Studio—A Recital by Gaston D'Aquino (Tenor) accompanied by E. O'Neil Shaw (Piano).

1. Addio Mignon. ("Mignon"—Tomase); 2, Have You Seen But A Whyte Lilye (Diack)—D'Aquino; 3, Piano Solo—E. O'Neil Shaw; 4, Aquella Moca (Freitas Branco); 5, Music Of The Night (Eric Coates)—D'Aquino.

8.23 p.m. Orchestral.

Slavonic Dance No. 16 In A Flat Major (Dvorak)—Czech Philharmonic Orchestra conducted by Vaclav Talich.

8.30 p.m. London Relay—"Empire Exchange."

Points of view by travellers from the Dominions and Colonies.

8.45 p.m. Songs by Maria Olczewska (Contralto).

Die Mainacht (Brahms); Sapphische Ode (Brahms); Nur Wer Die Sehnsucht Kennt (Tchaikovsky).

8.55 p.m. Tchaikovsky—Concerto 1 In B Flat Minor, Op. 23.

Played by Arthur Rubinstein (Piano) and The London Symphony Orchestra conducted by John Barbirolli.

9.50 p.m. London Relay—The News.

9.50 p.m. Songs by Stuart Robertson (Baritone).

Myself When Young ("In A Persian Garden"—Lehmann); Silent Noon (Vaughan Williams); That Song In My Heart (From "The Gang Show"—Reader).

10 p.m. London Relay—"In Town ToNight."

10.30 p.m. Dance Music.

Fox-Trot—Julika! Czardas Hungarian Fox-Trot—Play, Gypsy, Play!—George Boulanger And His Orch. Tangos—Jingle Bells Twilight—7. Bohr's Argentine Tango Orch. Fox-Trots—I Don't Like (From "Keep Fit") Do-De-O-Doh—Nat Gonella and His Georgians with vocal refrain by Nat Gonella I Never Knew Don't You Care What Anyone Says—Teddy Foster And His Kings Of Swing with vocal refrain by Teddy Foster. Moon At Sea Waltz—You Needn't Have Kept It A Secret—Ronnie Munro and His Orchestra with vocal refrain.

11 p.m. Close Down.

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Trans. I (G.S.O., G.S.G. G.S.B.).

1 p.m.—Big Ben. "In Town Tonight." Fifth Season: 160th Edition. Produced by C. F. Meehan. 1.30—"Is There Life on Other Planets?" A talk by the Astronomer Royal, H. Spencer Jones, F.R.S., D.Sc. 1.45—"Milestones of Melody." With Geraldo and his Concert Orchestra (by permission of the Savoy Hotel, Ltd.). 2.50—The News and Announcements. 3.15—Close down.

Trans. II (G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.).

8.45—Big Ben. Purcell's Theatre Music. 7—"Topical Gazette." A fortnightly review of things at Home. Presented by Pascoe Thornton. 7.30—The BBC Northern Ireland Orchestra; leader, Philip Whiteway; conductor, B. Walton O'Donnell. Henry Crowther (Baritone). 8.30—"Empire Exchange." Points of view by travellers from the Dominions and the Colonies. 8.45—"The Adventures of Jack and Jill" (Episode 3): "The Salvation of Sholto." A series of musical plays. 9.30—The News and Announcements. 9.57—Close down.

Trans. III (G.S.H., G.S.G., G.S.B.).

9.57 p.m.—Opening Announcements. 10—Big Ben. "In Town Tonight." Fifth Season: 160th Edition. Produced by C. F. Meehan. 10.30—Selections from Messager's Operettas. 11—Pianoforte Recital by Edmund Rubbra. 11.30—"Friends to Tea." A vest-pocket vaudeville, produced by Ernest Longstaffe. 12—The News and Announcements. 12.20 a.m.—"It Happens Every Day" (Third Edition). A revue with book and lyrics by Robert Ellison, and music by Dennis Van Thal. 1—Close down.

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12.25 National anthem and opening-announcement.

12.30 Report on the Amsterdam Stock Exchange.

12.40 Daily News Bulletin.

13.00 Meeting of the Phohi-Club.

13.25 Varied programme.

13.40 Actualities.

14.00 Talk on sports by Mr. C. J. Groothoff.

14.30 Close down and national anthem.

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6. a.m. Radio-Journal of France (French News). 6.30. Gramophone Records. 7. Talk on French Events. 7.15. Gramophone Records. 7.30. Leading Press Articles. 7.45. Gramophone Records. 8. News in French. 8.30. Gramophone Records. 8.40. News in English. 8.50. News in Italian. 9. Close Down.

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10. a.m. Gramophone Records. 10.45. Talk on Current French Events in Greek by Mr. Apostolis. 11. News in English. 11.15. Concert Relayed from Paris-P.T.T. 11.45. Talk on French Events. 12. Concert Relayed from Paris-P.T.T. 12.30. News in French. Colonial Market Prices. 1. Unchanging People and Things by Messrs. L. Vibert and R. Wisner. 1.10. The French Woman's Chronicle by Mr. Decaris. 1.20. Gramophone Records. 1.30. Light Music: Andre Delmon Orchestra, Mrs. Lucy Rosen (Vocalist), Mr. Altery (Tenor): 2.55. Rates of Exchange and French Stock (Rentes). 3. Close Down.

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3.15. p.m. News in French, Market Prices, Rates of Exchange. 3.40. News in Arabic. 4. Concert. Relay. 5. Gramophone Records. 5.30. Concert Relayed from Paris-P.T.T. 5.50. Science and Mankind by Mr. Luc Durtain. 6. Relay of Radio-Journal of France (French News). 6.30. News in French. Rates of Exchange. 7.10. News in English. 7.20. News in Italian. 7.30. Relay. 9.30. Colonial Market Prices. 9.45. News in Portuguese. 10. Close Down.

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10 a.m., May 22.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.80 ins.
Temperature, 83 F.
Humidity, 80 per cent.
Wind Direction, SSW.
Wind Force (Beaufort), 3.
Temperature; maximum yesterday, 78 F.
Temperature; minimum last night, 76 F.
Rainfall for 24 hrs. ending 10th today, 0.05 ins.
Total rainfall since Jan. 1, 18.98 ins.
Against an average of 18.27 ins.
Sunset, tonight, 6.59 p.m.
Sunrise, tomorrow, 5.41 a.m.

4 p.m., May 22.

Barometer (at sea level), 29.73.
Temperature, 85. Humidity, 70.
Wind Direction, SSW. Wind Force (Beaufort), 3. Maximum temperature, 87. Minimum temperature, 75.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE

From May 23 to 29, 1938

Days of Week.	Date of Month.	High Water. Hong Kong Standard Time.	High Water. Height.	Low Water. Hong Kong Standard Time	Low Water. Height.
		h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
Mon	23	04 50	4 5	08 52	4 2
		14 35	5 2	22 38	2 1
Tues	24	05 10	4 9	11 15	3 8
		16 03	5 0	23 20	2 3
Wed.	25	05 36	5 4	—	—
		17 28	4 7	12 33	3 1
Thur.	26	06 10	6 0	00 00	3 4
		18 50	4 6	13 18	2 4
Fri.	27	06 50	6 5	00 40	3 5
		20 00	4 6	14 05	1 5
Sat.	28	07 30	7 1	01 20	3 6
		21 03	4 6	14 52	0 9
Sun.	29	09 15	7 6	01 58	2 7
		22 05	4 6	15 40	0 3

ADVERTISED SAILING FROM HONG KONG

NORTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS AND JAPAN

Amoy.
Shirala, B.I. (Apcar), May 26.
Hai Hing, Thoresen's, June 3.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), June 9.

Chefoo.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.
Fooshing, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Kronviken, J.M. & Co., May 29.
Fingal, J.M. & Co., May 29.
Hoihow, B. & S., May 31.
Sandviken, J.M. & Co., May 31.
Yochow, B. & S., June 8.

Dairen.
Tjisalak, J.C.J. Line, May 24/25.
Assuan, Jebsen's, May 29.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, June 4.
Alster, Melchers', June 5.
Aller, Melchers', June 10.

Foochow.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.
Hoihow, B. & S., May 31.
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JAPAN
Aramis, Messageries', May 25.
Mansang, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Shirala, B.I. (Apcar), May 26.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 27.
Agapenor, B. & S., May 31.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Chile, East Asiatic & Co., June 3.
Kulmerland, Jebsen's, June 4.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 5.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, June 5.
Alster, Melchers', June 5.
Ajax, B. & S., June 6.
Tai Yang, Thoresen's, June 8.
Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 8.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 9.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), June 9.
Somali, P. & O., June 9.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', June 10.
Aller, Melchers', June 10.
Kumsang, J.M. & Co., June 12.
Athos II, Messageries', June 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Keelung.
Assuan, Jebsen's, May 29.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 31.
Hong Kong Maru, June 13.

Shanghai.
Aramis, Messageries', May 25.
Fooshing, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 26.
Rajputana, P. & O., May 26.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 27.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, May 27.
Assuan, Jebsen's, May 29.
Soochow, B. & S., May 30.
Agapenor, B. & S., May 31.
Tainan, B. & S., June 1.
Shantung, B. & S., June 3.
Chile, East Asiatic & Co., June 3.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Nankin, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 5.
Alster, Melchers', June 5.
Kayang, B. & S., June 5.
Ajax, B. & S., June 6.
Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 8.
Tai Yang, Thoresen's, June 8.
Tjisadane, J.C.J. Line, June 8/9.
Somali, P. & O., June 9.
Ranchi, P. & O., June 9.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, June 10.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', June 10.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.
Athos II, Messageries', June 22.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Shantung.
Hong Kong Maru, O.S.K., May 31.
Hong Kong Maru, June 13.

Shanghai.
Aramis, Messageries', May 25.
Fooshing, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Taiyuan, B. & S., May 26.
Kronviken, J.M. & Co., May 29.
Fingal, J.M. & Co., May 29.
Sandviken, J.M. & Co., May 31.
Hoihow, B. & S., May 31.
Yochow, B. & S., June 8.

Tientsin.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.
Fooshing, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Kronviken, J.M. & Co., May 29.
Fingal, J.M. & Co., May 29.
Sandviken, J.M. & Co., May 31.
Hoihow, B. & S., May 31.
Yochow, B. & S., June 8.

Tsingtau
Assuan, Jebsen's, May 29.

Wei-Hai-Wei.
Yunnan, B. & S., May 25.
Hoihow, B. & S., May 31.
Sandviken, J.M. & Co., May 31.
Yochow, B. & S., June 8.

EASTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO NORTH AND SOUTH AMERICA.

Balboa.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Baltimore.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Boston and New York.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Silverash, Furness', May 27.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Cristobal.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Honolulu.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 27.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, June 5.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Los Angeles.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, June 5.

Panama.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Philadelphia.
Sanyo Maru, O.S.K., May 25.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Portland, Ore.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.

San Francisco.
Roseville, Bank Line, May 26.
Pres. Pierce, Dollar's, June 5.

Seattle.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, June 1.

Vancouver, B.C.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 27.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 10.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., June 24.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 27.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, June 1.

SOUTHWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East and West.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Bali.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.

Bangkok.
Hellas, Thoresen's, June 1.
Ruys, J.C.J. Line, June 8.
Helios, Thoresen's, June 8.

Borneo Ports
Tai Seun Hong, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Hinsang, J.M. & Co., June 10.

Batavia.
Tjisalak, J. C. J. Line, June 14.

Belawan-Deli.
Van Heutsz, J.C.J. Line, May 26.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Cremer, J.C.J. Line, June 9.
Oder, Melchers, June 24.

Brisbane.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Cairns.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Cebu.
Thalatta, Jebsen's, May 27.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.

Cochin
Ryuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.

Davao.
Silverash, Furness', May 27.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.

Haiphong.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 25.
Canton, C.I.N., May 27.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 29.
Kiungchow, B. & S., June 5.

Hobart.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.

Hoihow.
Szechuen, B. & S., May 25.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 29.
Muinam, B. & S., June 2.
Kiungchow, B. & S., June 5.

Iloilo
Thalatta, Jebsen's, May 27.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.

Madang.
Friderun, Melchers', June 18.

Makassar.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.

Manila.
Thalatta, Jebsen's, May 27.
Silverash, Furness', May 27.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, June 1.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 2.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 17.

Melbourne.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Menado
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.

Pakhoi
Szechuen, B. & S., May 25.
Kwangtung, B. & S., May 29.
Kiungchow, B. & S., June 5.

Rabaul.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Friderun, Melchers', June 18.

Saigon.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', May 26.
Ruys, J.C.J. Line, June 8.
Aramis, Messageries', June 9.
Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 23.
Oder, Melchers, June 24

Salamaua.
Friderun, Melchers', June 18.

Sandakan.
Tai Seun Hong, J.M. & Co., May 26.
Hinsang, J.M. & Co., June 10.

Semarang.
Tjisalak, J. C. J. Line, June 14.

Soerabaia.
Tjinegara, J.C.J. Line, May 31.

Sydney.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Thursday Island
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Townsville
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 3.
Changte, B. & S., June 17.

Tulagi
Friderun, Melchers', June 18.

WESTWARD

FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Patroclus, B. & S., June 5.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

African Ports.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Ruys, J.C.J. Line, June 8.

Algiers.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Antwerp.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Bremen.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Oder, Melchers, June 24.

Bombay.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, June 4.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.
Mirzapore, P.& O., June 6.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Boston and New York.
Silverash, Furness', May 27.

Calcutta.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.
Islami, J.M. & Co., May 31.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), June 4.

Colombo.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', May 26.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, June 4.
Patroclus, B. & S., June 5.
Mirzapore, P.& O., June 6.
Aramis, Messageries', June 9.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.
Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 23.

Casablanca.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

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"Islami" 31st May, 2 p.m.

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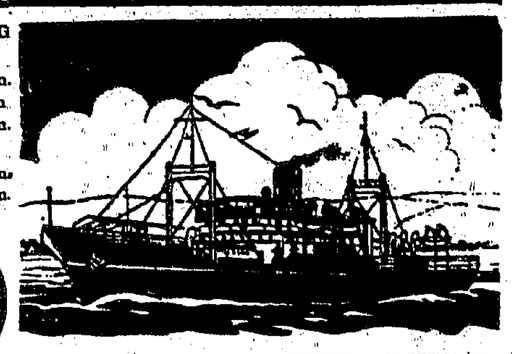
"Kumsang" 12th June, 9 a.m.



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Copenhagen
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Danmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.

Genoa.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.

Gibraltar.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.

Glasgow.
Patroclus, B. & S., June 5.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, June 12.

Gothenburg
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Halifax
Silverash, Furness', May 27.

Hamburg.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, June 12.
Oder, Melchers, June 24.
Danmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Havre.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, June 12.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Hull.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Karachi.
Mirzapore, P.& O., June 6.

London.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Patroclus, B. & S., June 5.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, June 12.
Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Madras & Ports
Ryuyo Maru, N.Y.K., May 28.

Malta.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Carthage, P. & O., June 11.

Marseilles
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', May 26.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
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Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 23.
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Naples.
Yasukuni Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.

Penang.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.
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Van Heutsz, J.C.J. Line, May 26.
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Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), June 4.
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Burdwan, P. & O., June 18.

Plymouth
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
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Persian Gulf Ports.
Mirzapore, P.& O., June 6

Port Said.
Pres. Doumer, Messageries', May 26.
Chitral, P. & O., May 28.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Danmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.
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Oder, Melchers, June 24.

Port Soudan.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Port Swettenham
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), June 4.

Rangoon.
Nagato Maru, N.Y.K., May 26.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.
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Rotterdam.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
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Scandinavian Ports.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.

Southampton.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.

Singapore.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.
Van Heutsz, J.C.J. Line, May 26.
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Agapenor, B. & S., May 31.
Ajax, B. & S., June 6.
Aller, Melchers', June 10.
Alster, Melchers', June 5.
Anna Maersk, Jebsen's, May 30.
Aramis, Messageries', May 25.
Arizona Maru, N.Y.K., June 4.
Assuan, Jebsen's, May 29.
Carthage, P. & O., June 10.
Changte, B. & S., June 10.
Chile, East Asiatic & Co., June 3.
Chitral, P. & O., May 27.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, May 27.
Cremer, J.C.J. Line, May 31.
Danmark, East Asiatic & Co., June 1.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., June 2.
Emp. of Canada, C. P. S., June 17.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., May 25.
Gneisenau, Melchers', May 29.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., June 3.
Ixion, B. & S., June 4.
Kamo Maru, N.Y.K., May 27.
Kweiyang, B. & S., May 26.
Mar. Joffre, Messageries', June 8.
Marchen Maersk, Jebsen's, May 27.
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Santos Maru, O.S.K., May 26.
Scharnhorst, Melchers', June 9.
Sirdhana, B.I. (Apcar), June 4.
Somali, P. & O., June 8.
Tai Yang, Thoresen's, June 8.
Tamara, Gilman's, May 30.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., June 1.
Thalatta, Jebsen's, May 27.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apcar), June 7.
Tjisadane, J.C.J. Line, June 7.
Tokiwa Maru, N.Y.K., May 25.
Victoria, Lloyd Triestino, June 10.

SHIPPING MOVEMENTS

S.S. SHIRALA

The B.I. and Apcar Line's s.s. Shirala left Singapore for this port on May 19, is due here on May 24.

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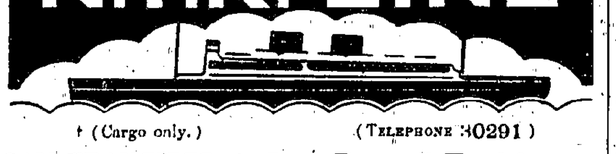

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† TOYAMA MARU ... ... 9th June

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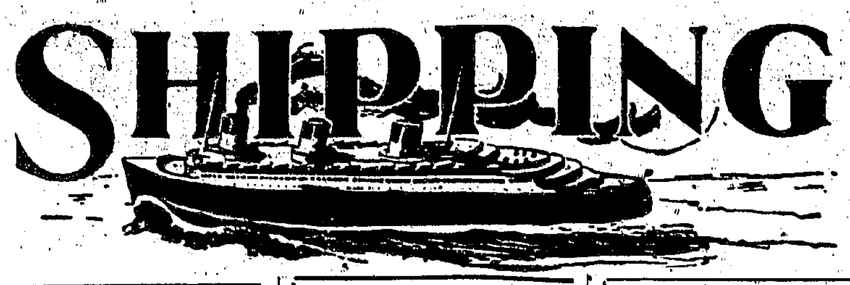

DUE TODAY

Tjisalak, Dutch, 3,693 registered tons, Captain J. Kuening, from Sourabaya and Batavia, at buoy No. A17, 7 a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Sui Sang, British, 2,208 reg. tons, Captain T. Hughes, from Kobe, at buoy No. A?, a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Taiyuan, British, 2,100 registered tons, Captain J. K. Clark, from Shanghai, at buoy No. B?, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Holhow, British, 1,629 reg. tons, from Tientsin, at West Point buoy, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Anhui, British, 2,080 registered tons, Capt. W. M. Christie, from Singapore, at West Point buoy, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Antenor, British, 6,809 registered tons, from London via Singapore, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Hai Tan, British, 2,225 registered tons, Captain E. Walker, from Swatow, at Douglas Wharf, a.m.—Douglas and Co. (Tel. 28037).

DUE TOMORROW

Mau Sang, British, 2,063 reg. tons, Captain P. Jowitt, from Calcutta and Singapore, at Kowloon Wharf, a.m.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Shirala, British, 4,872 registered tons, Capt. T. S. Beedle, from Calcutta and Singapore, at Kowloon Wharf, a.m.—M. M. and Co. (Tel. 27721).

Kanchow, British, 1,220 registered tons, from Tientsin and Swatow, at West Point buoy, a.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Radnorshire, British, 4,133 reg. tons, from London and Singapore, at Holt's Wharf, a.m.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 30311).

Wing Wo, Portuguese, 495 reg. tons, Capt. I. d. de Lemos, from K. C. Wan, at West Point buoy p.m.—Tai Fung and Co. (Tel. 20093).

ARRIVED YESTERDAY

Foo Shing, British, 1,423 reg. tons, Captain C. M. Boas, from Swatow, at West Point Wharf.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Hermod, Norwegian, 840 reg. tons, Captain S. Eliassen from Weihaiwei and Chefoo, at buoy C1.—Thoresen & Co. (Tel. 30237).

Halidor, Norwegian, 840 reg. tons, Capt. J. Jorgensen, from Bangkok via Swatow, at buoy B5.—Thoresen and Co. (Tel. 30237).

Norviken, Norwegian, 1,779 reg. tons, Captain P. Woxholt, from Swatow, at Stonecutters.—Jebsen and Co. (Tel. 24553).

SAILED YESTERDAY

Suiyang for Swatow.
Hiram for Swatow.
Talma for Singapore.
Kalgan for Swatow.
Wing Wah for Macao.
Daviken for Bangkok.
Conte Biancamano for Manila.
Nanchang for Bangkok.

ARRIVED SATURDAY

Yingchow, British, 1,216 reg tons, Capt. W. A. Orwin, from Samarinda, at buoy No. B25.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Michael Jebsen, Danish, 1,343 reg. tons, Captain Elberg from Holhow, at buoy No. B11.—Chin Seng Hong (Tel. 25291).

Muinam, Danish, 1,739 reg. tons, Capt. V. L. Relster, from Singapore and Holhow, at buoy No. B21.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Fushimi Maru, Japanese, 6,846 reg. tons, Capt. T. Goto, from Singapore, at buoy No. A4.—N. Y. K. (Tel. 30291).

Tai Seun Hong, French, 1,300 reg. tons, Capt. H. Courqueux, from Sandakan, at buoy No. B22.—J. M. & Co. (Tel. 23696).

Antiochus, British, 5,772 reg. tons, Capt. Blyth, from Singapore, at Holt's Wharf.—B. and S. (Tel. 30331).

Daviken, Norwegian, 1,779 reg. tons, Captain C. Salvesen, from Swatow, at buoy No. A5.—Chin Seng Hong (Tel. 25291).

Teesbank, British, 3,038 registered tons, Captain B'ackmoor, from Taku Bar, at A. P. C Wharf.—Bank Line (Tel. 27791).

Asian, British, 1,488 registered tons, Captain R. C. Creer, from Campha, at Taikoo S. R. Wharf.—Williamson & Co. (Tel. 23755).

Peiping, Swedish 3,835 registered tons, Captain Ahlborg, from Manila, at Holt's Wharf.—Gilman and Co. (Tel. 30966).

Wing Wah, Portuguese, 651 reg. tons, Capt. J. Teixeira, from Holhow, at buoy No. B11.—Tai Fung and Co. (Tel. 20093).

Yat Shing, British, 1,424 reg. tons, Capt. D. S. Pethick, from Holhow, anchorage.—J. M. and Co. (Tel. 30311).

Haldis, British, 1,144 registered tons, Captain A. Hall, from Macao, at Stonecutters.—Wo Fat Shing (Tel. 20005).

SAILING TOMORROW

Wing Wah, Portuguese, 651 reg. tons, Captain J. Teixeira, from West Point Wharf, for Holhow, 2 p.m.—Tai Fung and Co. (Tel. 20093).

Muinam, Danish, 1,739 registered tons, Captain V. L. Relster, from buoy No. B21, for Haiphong, 3 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Tjibadak, Dutch, 4,801 reg. tons, Capt. J. van Rees, from buoy No. A2, for Batavia and Sourabaya 10 a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Hai Tan, British, 2,225 registered tons, Captain E. Walker, from Douglas Wharf for Santau, 4 p.m.—Douglas & Co. (Tel. 28037).

Sophie Rickmers, German, 4,433 reg. tons, Captain Holner, from Taikoo Dock, for Shanghai, a.m.—Jebsen and Co. (Tel. 31205).

Kingyuan, British, 1,548 reg. tons, Capt. N. Hardie, from buoy No. B14, for Swatow and Shanghai, 2 p.m.—B. & S. (Tel. 30331).

Prosper, Norwegian, 1,377 reg. tons, Captain E. Stormer, from buoy No. B10 for Singapore and Penang, p.m.—Foo Nam and Co. (Tel. 26854).

SAILING TODAY

Neptuna, British, 3,607 registered tons, Capt. F. Vogelman, from Kowloon Wharf, for Saigon and Melbourne, p.m.—Gibb, Livingston and Co. (Tel. 28031).

Van Heutsz, Dutch, 2,749 reg. tons, Capt. G. H. Beurts, from buoy No. A12, for Swatow, 11 a.m.—J. C. J. Line (Tel. 28015).

Anubis, German, 3,002 reg. tons, Capt. Hollmann, from Shum Shui Po, for Cebu, a.m.—Jebsen and Co. (Tel. 31205).

SAILED SATURDAY

Willy for Singapore.
Prosper for Bangkok.
Soudan for Singapore.
Tjinegara for Shanghai.
Kashima Maru for Singapore.
Pres. Cleveland for Kobe.
Protesilaus for Saigon.
City of Rayville for Shanghai.
Lakatoi for Samarai.
Teesbank for Calcutta.
Fushimi Maru for Shanghai.
Helikon for Saigon.
Hatteras for Samarinda.

U.S. GUNBOAT IN MACAO

(Our Own Correspondent)

Macao, May 20.

U.S.S. Mindanao arrived in this port yesterday morning. Lt.-Com. James P. Clay and officers of the American gunboat were guests of Mr. F. J. Gellion, H. B. M. Vice-Consul for Macao, and Mrs. Gellion last night.

The visitors were today entertained to an official luncheon given by H. E. the Governor of Macao, Dr. Artur Tamignini de Sousa Barbosa, at Government House. Later the call was reciprocated when H. E. the Governor attended a buffet supper and cinema on board the U.S.S. Mindanao.

Among others who also attended were prominent officials of this Colony and British and American residents.

The Office of the Pacification Commissioner for Szechuen and Sikang and the Szechuen Provincial Government held a joint conference recently to consider measures for general mobilization and the preservation of peace in the province, says a dispatch to the Sin Wan Pao. The conference, it is reported, was attended by Generals Teng Hsi-hou and Wang Chan-hsu, the Pacification Commissioner and the Provincial Chairman, respectively, and over 20 high members of both offices.

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The Control Commissioner for Kiangsi and Anhwei, Mr. Yang Liang-kung, who arrived in Nanchang a few days ago, has been visiting base hospitals, refugee centres and municipal, conservancy and health organizations there, says a report to the Hwa Mei Chen Pao.

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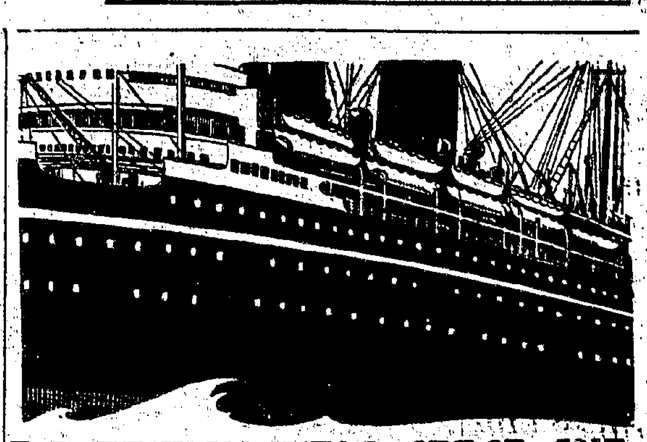

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†*BURDWAN	6,000	18th June	B'bay., Mars., Havre, London, Hull, H'bg., R'dam. & Antwerp.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	25th June	Bombay, Marseilles & London
RANCHI	17,000	9th July	
†*SOMALI	6,000	16th July	B'bay., Marseilles, Havre, L'don., Hull, H'burg., R'dam. & A'werp
RANPURA	17,000	23rd July	B'bay., Marseilles & London.
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NELLORE	7,000	5th Aug.	

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RAJPUTANA	17,000	26th May	Shanghai & Japan
SHIRALA	8,000	26th May	Amoy & Japan
NANKIN	7,000	4th June	Shanghai & Japan
*SOMALI	6,000	9th June	Shanghai & Japan
TILAWA	10,000	9th June	Amoy & Japan
RANCHI	17,000	9th June	Shanghai & Japan
NALDERA	17,000	23rd June	Shanghai & Japan
SANTHIA	8,000	23rd June	Amoy & Japan
NELLORE	7,000	7th July	Shanghai & Japan

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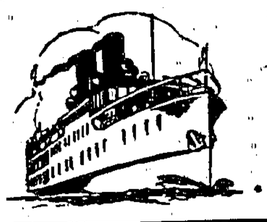

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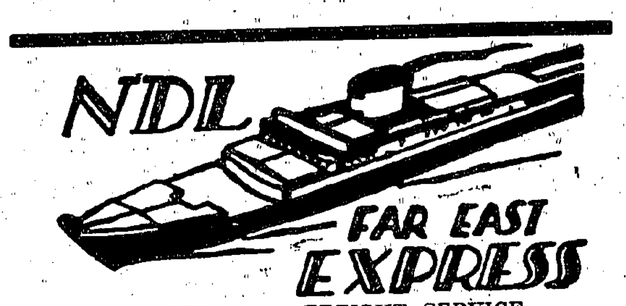

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Straits & Ceylon	Gneisenau	Singapore, Penang, Belawan, Colombo	May 29
	Oder	Singapore, Belawan	June 24
Manila	Gneisenau	Manila	May 29
	Oder	Saigon	June 24
Shanghai & Japan	Scharnhorst	Shanghai, Yokohama, Kobe	June 10
Shanghai, North China & Japan	Alster	Shanghai, Dairen, Taku, Kobe/Osaka	June 5
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DERBY TRIAL SWEEPSTAKE

Bland Star Wins By A Neck

London, May 21.

In the Derby Trial Sweepstake run at Lingfield today over a distance of one and a half miles, Bland Star (25 to 1) won by a neck from Olympus (100 to 7). Halcyon Gift (25 to 1) was third, half a length behind Olympus.

There were thirteen starters. The first three are still left in the Derby which will be run at Epsom on June 2. Other Derby probables, Manorite, Campion, Felcrag, What A Lad, Phenicien the Second, Eildon Hill and Mario, also ran.

LATEST CALL-OVER

The latest call-over in the Derby is as follows:—

Pasch 7 to 4 o. 2 to 1 t; Golden Sovereign 7 to 1 o; Port Marnock 10 to 1 o; Scottish Union 12 to 1 t, and o; Pound Foolish 100 to 6 o; Mirza 25 to 1 t. and o; Valerian 25 to 1 o; Faroe 28 to 1 o; 33 to 1 t; Manorite 33 to 1 o; Troon and Unbreakable 40 1 o; 50 to 1 t—Reuter).

PROFESSIONAL HOCKEY

England Is Not Ready

England is not ready for professional hockey, according to Frank Gentle, assistant managing director of Harringay Arena, Ltd.

He said recently in an interview in Montreal, that the brand of hockey played by the present amateur teams in London is "good enough" for the British fans.

"Development of English hockey players in England who would rate on a par with Canadians of senior caliber," said Gentle, in Canada on a business trip, "is one of England's pet ambitions."

English sports leaders are not losing much time starting to train schoolboys with competent Canadian players in coaching roles. Harringay officials have set aside several hours a week for aspiring youngsters.

WOMEN'S GOLF

Britain's Team For The Curtis Cup Match

London, May 22.

Britain's team to play in the Curtis Cup golf match at Manchester, Massachusetts, on September 7 and 8, has been selected as follows:—Miss Jessie Anderson, Misc Pamela Barton, Miss Corlett, Miss Tienban, Mesdames Garon, Holm, Walker and Williamson.

In the final of the British Women's Golf Championship played at Burnham, Somerset, Mrs. Holm defeated Miss Corlett by four and three.—(Reuter).

SWITZERLAND DEFEATS ENGLAND

Deserved Win At Football

Berne, May 21.

In a football match played here today, Switzerland defeated England by two goals to one. The Swiss deserved to win. It was England's first defeat by Switzerland who recently drew 1-1 with Germany.

Switzerland beat England in the presence of 35,000 spectators. The conditions favoured England.

In the 30th minute Aebi, the Swiss outside left, scored and Bastin equalised from a penalty for a foul tackle. The score at half time as 1-1.

In the 73rd minute Abegglen scored the winning goal for Switzerland from a penalty awarded for hands—(Reuter).

SCOTLAND WINS

Amsterdam, May 21.

Nearly 60,000 spectators were present at a football match played here today when Scotland defeated Holland by three goals to one.

Black, Walker and Murphy scored for the winners while Vente netted for Holland. The score sheet at half time was blank.—(Reuter).

DAVIS CUP

Second Round Matches

Zagreb, May 22.

In the second round of the Davis Cup played here today, Mitic (Yugoslavia) defeated D. W. Butler (Britain) in the first singles match by scores of 6-3, 6-1, 6-4.

At Berlin, Germany eliminated Norway by three matches to nil.—(Reuter).

SWEDEN LEADS.

Stockholm, May 22.

In the Davis Cup match yesterday between Sweden and Switzerland, the Swiss, Fischer and Maneff were defeated by Schroeder and Rohlsson 2-6, 7-5, 4-6. Sweden now leads by 2-1.

FRENCHMEN WIN

Paris, May 22.

France established a two-nil lead over Monaco.

Destremau beat Medecin 6-3, 6-0, 6-1 and Petra overwhelmed Noghes 6-1, 6-1, 6-0.—(Transocean).

SURREY CHAMPIONSHIPS

London, May 22.

In the final of the men's singles in the Surrey Tennis Championships played on Saturday, J. S. Olliff defeated Eric Filby 2-6, 6-4, 6-3. Filby, in the semi-final, had beaten H. W. Austin, the Davis Cupper, 8-6, 6-4.

Mrs. Helen Wills-Moody, who will be making a bid for the Wimbledon title, won the women's singles final when she defeated Miss Margaret Lumb, 6-3, 6-4.—(Reuter Bulletin).

HOME CRICKET SCORES

Edrich Hits Up 228 Not Out

London, May 22.

Close of play scores in the County Cricket Championship matches were as follows:—

Somerset 158 (George Pope 5 for 41) v. Derby 135 for 2 wickets;

Middlesex 440 for 5 wickets (Edrich 228 not out) v. Notts;

Kent 493 for 6 wickets (Fagg 134, Chalk 167) v. Worcester.

Lancashire 322 v. Northants 44 for 5 wickets;

Hants 310 (Clay 6 for 76) v. Glamorgan 44 for 1;

Warwick 112 (Flamson 5 for 33) v. Leicester 167 for 5 wickets;

Sussex 260 (Bowes 6 for 39) v. Yorkshire 127 for no wickets.

BRADMAN AGAIN

At the Oval, the Australians scored 432 for 5 wickets against Surrey. Don Bradman made 143, Brown 96 and Hassett 65 not out.—(Reuter).

PANDORA BEATS RAINBOW AT SOCCER

Teams from H.M. Submarines Pandora and Rainbow met in a friendly soccer match at Causeway Bay yesterday, the former winning 2-1.

Both sides failed to score in the first half, but in the second half, as the result of a penalty kick, Stoker Leach opened the score for the Pandora.

A few minutes after, Hanner, of the Rainbow, succeeded in placing a beautiful cross shot and equalised.

Varlow, of the Pandora, after a splendid run in the latter stages of the game, scored the deciding goal.

YACHTING RESULTS

The Royal Hong Kong Yacht Club's Summer Series of races were commenced on Saturday with an event, for all classes over a 6.4 miles course and resulted as follows:—

All Classes—Started at 14.40

Yacht	Corrected	Pos'n.
Artemis (Mr. G. G. Wood).	15.58.29	1
Nereid II (Capt. C. B. Barry, R.N.).	16.00.13	2
Colleen (Mr. G. J. Tarr).	16.01.30	3
Ailsa (Lt. W. A. Ingram).	16.01.36	4
Redshank (Miss P. M. King).	16.01.41	5
Widgeon (Mr. L. Garner).	16.01.53	6
Gull (Lt. R. M. Firth, R.N.).	16.02.12	7
Teal (Capt. J. E. Dobbs).	16.04.04	8
Toss (Lt. R. M. MacMillan, R.N.).	16.04.27	9
Painted Lady (Capt. M. T. L. Wilkinson).	16.06.35	10

THE WEEK IN MACAO

(FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT)

Attorney-General

Macao, May 22.

Dr. Mario Soares Lelis arrived early last week from Daman, India, to take up his new appointment as Macao's Attorney-General. The office, which was vacated by homegoing Dr. M. de Mascarenhas Galvao, was being temporarily filled by Dr. Pedro Lobato.

A Long Drop

Believe it or not, but on Tuesday last a Chinese employee of the Sincere Hotel threw himself down from the uppermost storey, fell through the roof of a neighbouring medicine shop through two other floors before his fall was checked. The man still lived a few minutes.

Married

On Sunday, May 16, at San Lourenco Church, Miss Vitaliana Bruno, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jose Martins Bruno, became the bride of Mr. Alvaro Machado Mendonca. The bridegroom is on the staff of the Macao Electric Lighting Company.

Exhibition

A highly interesting exhibition of arts and crafts by students was viewed by the local public at the Liceu Infante D. Henrique on Wednesday. This was followed by the distribution of prizes for studies and athletics to honour students during the year.

Died

Died the day before, in his 69th, Father Serafim d'Almeida Nazare was laid to rest in the San Miguel Cemetery last Monday. The deceased, who was born in Oporto in 1871, was formerly a teacher in the Seminary College and, until the time of his death, did mission work at shiu-hing.

Swim

Pentathlonist Lui de Oliveira, who is well-known in Portugal and in South Africa, recently swam from Colowan to Taipa Fort. The feat was witnessed by a large number of his friends from the local garrison who followed the swimmer over his course in sampans.

Dinner

Some sixty students of the Liceu Infante D. Henrique gathered round the festive board at the Ng Chau Hotel on Tuesday to celebrate the successes of their respective classes in the recent school sports.

Attending the dinner were also Dr. Ferreira de Castro, Mrs. A. D. Carneiro, Dr. Cassiamo Fonseca, Dr. A. d'Almeida Carneiro, Capt. F. de Lara Reis, Mr. Clement Braga, Lt. J. Montalvaoe Silva, Mr. Danilo Barreiros and Mr. F. Pimentel.

Victims

Recently admitted into local hospitals in Macao were an adult Chinese and two children, victims of Japanese aerial attacks on fishing junks outside Macao. One of the latter died soon after his admittance into hospital.

DEATH OF MR. D. E. SASSOON

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Although he lived for the most part in Shanghai he was equally well-known in Hong Kong, where he maintained a highly successful racing stable in which he took the keenest possible interest.

AMATEUR JOCKEY

A well-known and exceptionally able amateur jockey in the early years of his life, Mr. Sassoon retained to the last his enthusiasm for the turf and was devoted to the furtherance of racing both here and in Shanghai, being one of the oldest members both of the Shanghai Race Club and of the Hong Kong Jockey Club.

No mention of Mr. D. E. Sassoon ("Nunky" as he was affectionately known to all his friends), would be complete without a reference to the qualities which so endeared him to all who came in contact with him. Warm-hearted and generous, he was a friend to all, whatever their station in life, and there can have been few of whom it could so truthfully be said that he had not an enemy in the world.

His death deprives us of a gentleman in the highest sense of the word, and to his nephew, Sir Victor Sassoon, to his other relations, and to all his friends the deepest sympathy will be extended in their loss.

The funeral takes place today in Shanghai, and as a mark of respect the offices of Messrs. E. D. Sassoon Banking Co., Ltd., will remain closed.

MAIL NOTICE

HONG KONG, MONDAY, MAY 23rd 1938, 9.30 A.M.

PUBLIC HOLIDAY

On Tuesday, the 24th May, the General Post Office, Kowloon Central Post Office and all other Branch Post Offices will be open from 8 a.m. to Noon.

There will be one collection from the pillar boxes, one delivery of ordinary correspondence as on Sundays and one delivery of registered correspondence at 11.00 a.m.

The Branch Post Offices at Stanley, Taipo and Un Long will also have one delivery of ordinary correspondence at 11 a.m.

The Money Order Office will be entirely closed.

Postage Stamps of the new issue H.M. King George VI in the denominations 1 cent, 5 cents, and 2 dollars will be on sale as from 24th May.

In order to assist Dealers and others who require considerable quantities of these stamps for "first day covers," supplies in complete sheets of 120 stamps only will be available at the Chief Accountant's Office, 1st Floor, Post Office Building, from 4.30 p.m. to 5.00 p.m. on Monday, 23rd May. The stamps will not be valid for postage until 24th May.

Air mail letters may be posted in the ordinary posting boxes. They should be clearly marked "By Air Mail" and bear sufficient postage. Insufficiently prepaid letters may be taxed with double the deficiency or forwarded by Steamer Service, at the discretion of the Post Office.

Parcel Post Service to Amoy is temporarily suspended.

Air Mail Services to Shanghai, Nanking, Tsingtau, Tientsin and Peiping are temporarily suspended.

Letters and Postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS

From	Per	Due
Straits	Antenor	23rd May
Java	Tjisalak	23rd May
Calcutta and Straits	Mausang	24th May
Calcutta and Straits	Shirala	24th May
Haiphong	Canton	25th May
Straits and Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London date, 28th April—and London parcels—London date, 25th April	Rajputana	25th May
Air Mail by "Pan-American Airways Direct Service"—San Francisco date, 18th May.	**Pan American Airways Plane**	**25th May**
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 19th May.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**25th May**
Manila	Emp. of Japan	25th May
Saigon	Aramis	26th May
Japan	Santos Maru	26th May
Japan and Shanghai	Pres. Doumer	26th May
Tientsin and Swatow	Kanchow	26th May
Bangkok	Kwelyang	26th May
Japan and Shanghai	Chitral	27th May
Japan	Kamo Maru	27th May
Air Mail by "Imperial Airways Direct Service"—London date, 22nd May.	**Imperial Airways Plane**	**27th May**
Straits	Conte Rosso	27th May
Shanghai	Gneisenau	29th May
Japan	Ixion	30th May
Straits	Agapenor	31st May
Japan and Shanghai	Patroclus	31st May
Canada, U.S.A., and Japan (Seattle date, 11th May)	Pres. McKinley	31st May

OUTWARD MAILS

REGISTERED AND PARCEL MAILS are closed 15 minutes earlier than the time given below unless otherwise stated, and where mails are advertised to close at or before 9 a.m., registered and parcel mails are closed at 5 p.m. on the previous day.

For	Per	Date and Time
MONDAY		**Monday, 23rd**
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongning	8.15 AM
Kongmoon	Tai Lee	10.00 AM
Swatow	Van Heutsz	2.30 PM
Saigon, Madang, Salamaua, Rabaul, *Sydney and *Melbourne	Neptuna	3.30 PM
Air Mail for Sian, Lanchow and Chengtu, etc. (via Hankow) by the "Eurasia Airways Service" (To further points by surface transport as Services permit).	**Eurasia Plane**	**G.P.O. & K.P.O. Reg. 4.30 PM Ord. 5.00 PM**
TUESDAY		**Tuesday, 24th**
Samshui and Wuchow	Tai Ming	8.15 AM
Haiphong, Batavia and Sourabaya	Tjibadak	9.00 AM
Kongmoon	On Lee	10.00 AM
Air Mail for "K.L.M. Airways Direct Service"—due Amsterdam, 5th June	**Suisang**	**G.P.O. & K.P.O. Ord. 11.00 AM Reg. 11.30 AM Par. 11.00 AM Ord. Noon**
Straits and Calcutta	Suisang	Noon
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haitan	Noon
Haiphong	Muinam	**K.P.O.**
Air Mail for Wuchow, Kweiyang and Chungking by the "C.N.A.C. Airways Direct Service."	**C.N.A.C. Plane**	**Reg. Noon Ord. 5.00 PM G.P.O. Reg. 2ith Noon Ord. 25th 6.00 AM**
WEDNESDAY		**Wed., 25th**
Samshui and Wuchow	Kongso	8.15 AM
Kongmoon	Fook On	10.00 AM
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Szechuen	Noon
Shanghai, Japan and *Europe via Siberia	Aramis	1.30 PM
*Shanghai	Antenor	1.30 PM
Swatow, Foochow and Tientsin	Yunnan	2.30 PM
*Japan	Mausang	5.00 PM
Air Mail for Manila, Guam, Honolulu and U.S.A., by the "Pan American Airways Direct Service"—due San Francisco, 2nd June.	**Pan-American Airways Plane**	**K.P.O. Reg. 25th 5.00 PM Ord. 25th 5.00 PM K.P.O. Reg. 5th 5.00 PM Ord. 26th 8.00 AM**
THURSDAY		**Thursday, 26th**
Sandakan	Tai Seun Hong	8.30AM
Shanghai and Japan	Rajputana	10.30 AM

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